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# PLATFORMS OF SOMERSET'S CANDIDATES

**For Congress and the Legislature Are Interesting and Some of Them Are Even Unique.**

## THOMPSON'S BOOM LAUNCHED.

**J. Q. Van Swearingen Will Have Charge Of It—Stewart's Declination Has Improved Thompson's Chances. The Miners An Uncertain Quantity.**

The Republican candidates of Somerset county have all announced and some of them have published their separate and individual platforms.

John G. Ogle who wants to represent this district in Congress says that he had every reason to believe from past assurances that he would be unopposed in his own county because four years ago he yielded to J. M. Berkey and two years ago to Judge Dickey. Mr. Ogle tells his troubles as follows:

In the meanwhile Mr. Berkey was appointed Banking Commissioner at a salary of $[illegible] per year and I was assured by him that he was out of the Congressional [illegible] and by our mutual friends [illegible] all complications [illegible] adjusted and that I would have a clear track for Congress.

This condition prevailed until two days before the [illegible] for making [illegible] when Mr. Cooper of Fayette county [illegible] Congress [illegible] Somerset and [illegible] Mills [illegible] Rockwood was announced as a candidate for Congress.

Inasmuch as I have made an effort [illegible] candidate [illegible] Somerset county [illegible] Joseph D. Hicks of Blair county for Congress and in [illegible] Jacob H. Longenecker [illegible]

A vote for [illegible] is a vote against Somerset [illegible] Mr. Cooper [illegible] officeholder [illegible] six or seven years [illegible] the Fair [illegible] Agricultural Department [illegible] which [illegible]

Candidate Ogle accompanies his statement with his picture. He looks a little scared in the picture and a trifle out of breath. He is apparently running pretty hard.

Hon. L. D. Miller also publishes his picture and his platform and both look exceedingly dignified. Mr. Miller declares that he is the first person outside of the sacred precincts of the county seat who has ever dared to run for Congress. He asks the votes of the farmers [illegible] one who was born and reared on the farm and promises a Square Deal for everybody. The remainder of his platform is as follows:

I shall advocate a pension for every soldier who has rendered his country service in any of the wars no matter [illegible]

I shall [illegible] legislation abolishing [illegible] passenger [illegible] cents per mile.

I shall favor a naturalization law requiring all aliens desiring to become citizens to read and write the English language.

The platform of the Hon. J. W. Endsley of Somerfield, candidate for Assembly, is very simple. It contains two planks. The first is that a second term is customary, and the second is unalterable opposition to the compulsory vaccination law.

Judge Daniel J. Horne's Assembly platform has not been reduced to writing but it is understood that he offers his long experience as a legislator in support of his claims. It is true that he never has been a member of the House or the Senate but he has attended the sessions with great regularity and has thus become familiar with the work of legislation and legislators.

## THOMPSON BOOM

**For Governor Launched with J. Q. Van Swearingen As Pilot.**

J. V. Thompson has authorized J. Q. Van Swearingen to speak for him and the latter says that he is in the contest to stay. He adds:

It is possible that Mr. Thompson will [illegible] Westmoreland [illegible] Somerset [illegible] Fayette [illegible] Congressman Acheson [illegible]

[illegible] county Republicans have [illegible] party [illegible] stalwart [illegible] support [illegible] party [illegible] Mr. Thompson has [illegible] factional feuds.

Since the new Constitution was adopted [illegible] every man who has occupied the Governor's chair was a lawyer. It seems to me that it would be a good plan to let a business man [illegible] the office [illegible] commercial and industrial interests of the State in certain preference to those of the legal profession.

A dispatch from Harrisburg says that Hon. Andrew A. Thompson, Mr. Thompson's son has engaged quarters for him at the Commonwealth Hotel and declares: "My father will make an active contest for the Republican nomination for Governor."

Congressman Acheson's position is understood to be that of a man in the hands of his friends. He is a candidate for re-election to Congress and prefers that honor but if the Republicans of Washington county insist upon endorsing him for Governor and working for him he will not interfere, leaving it to the people to do [illegible] him.

## STATE POLITICS.

**Stewart Letter Makes Democrats Buzz. Where Will Miners "Light."**

The announcement of Justice John Stewart that he would not accept the Republican nomination for Governor caused the Democrats to get busy. Charles P. Donnelly, the State Chairman made a flying trip to Pittsburg to talk it over with the bosses. After a long consultation with Colonel [illegible] he visited Mayor [illegible] but the latter positively declined to run for Governor on the Democratic nomination for the office. He proposes to finish out his term as Mayor of Pittsburg.

Donnelly said he sought [illegible] himself from the race for the Governorship made things look better for the Democrats. He said in all probability the leaders of the Democratic, Prohibition and [illegible] parties would hold a conference soon to [illegible] in [illegible] accept all three [illegible] the Democratic Convention [illegible] Harrisburg on June [illegible] Democratic [illegible]

The [illegible] of the union miners to [illegible] politics is causing the politicians some concern. There are [illegible] 60,000 union miners and it is conceded that they [illegible] the situation. There is [illegible] on the part of the politicians to know where they will light.

## TAKING A VOTE.

**B. & O. Trying to Solve Mileage Excess Charge Problem.**

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad is [illegible] what the [illegible] Department considers a [illegible] and straightforward solution of the mileage book problem. On that road at present is issued a 1,000 mile book interchangeable among the B. & O., the P. R. R., the Reading and several other roads. The book costs $[illegible] and a rebate of $10 is given. This is the point [illegible] which there has been much agitation. The Baltimore & Ohio offers to continue this book or sell one not interchangeable but good only on the B. & O. for $20 without a rebate.

A postal card is now given with each book purchased from the B. & O. on which the two propositions are set forth and the recipient is asked to vote for which he prefers [illegible] The votes will be sent to [illegible] Martin, Manager of the passenger traffic and after a fixed period [illegible] they will be counted. The company promises that the vote will settle its action henceforth.

## REAL ESTATE DEAL.

**O. C. Moore and Dr. Peterson Buy From W. E. Coughenour.**

W. E. Coughenour this morning disposed of two of his houses, one on the extreme end of South Prospect street and another at the corner of Arch and Peach streets to O. C. Moore and Dr. C. D. Peterson for $10,000. The deal was put through by O. B. Puruntor and Daniel Mitts. Mr. Coughenour accepted as a consideration [illegible] lots in the Dunn [illegible] addition to Connellsville which he will in all probability improve.

Both the houses purchased by Messrs. Moore and Peterson are valuable properties and are well located. They are splendid properties for renting purposes and will return to their owners good monthly incomes.

**Heavy Sentence By Burgess**

Burgess C. H. [illegible] of Latrobe sent John J. Morgan to jail for 60 days last week on charges of drunkenness, disorderly conduct and being a suspicious character.

# OPENING OF RUSSIAN DOUMA.

**Czar Arrived at St. Petersburg This Morning and 40,000 Troops Are on Hand to Put Down Disorder Should Any Arise.**

Special [illegible]

St. Petersburg, May 10.—Emperor Nicholas left the Royal Palace at Peterhof at 11 o'clock this morning to St. Petersburg to [illegible] the opening of the Douma. He was accompanied on board the royal yacht by the Czarina and Dowager Empress. The Czar and party arrived at St. Petersburg at [illegible] o'clock. The Czarina and Dowager Empress were driven to the Winter Palace [illegible] the Czar proceeding to the palace [illegible]

This morning the [illegible] epoch marking ceremony of opening the first parliament in Russian history. The houses and all public buildings are decorated with flags and bunting and all shops and places of business are closed, the day being observed by Government order as a National holiday. No crowds were permitted to assemble on any of the streets.

There are 40,000 troops within the city. [illegible] Government offices are [illegible] barricaded [illegible] visible except in the vicinity of the Winter Palace [illegible] guarded by the Semenov [illegible] regiment with guns loaded [illegible] Traffic is prohibited [illegible] the city [illegible]

It is practically the unanimous opinion among the [illegible] that the first session of the National Assembly will be [illegible] on account of the [illegible] of the Government [illegible] The general feeling is one of complete [illegible] of the Government [illegible]

## ARGUMENT COURT.

**A Short Session Held at Uniontown This Morning.**

Uniontown, May [illegible] session of court [illegible] the greater part of which was taken up in the argument of old cases for new trial. [illegible] argued was that of Rose [illegible] Rainey Coke company [illegible] Johnson [illegible] the company [illegible]

## TO DRILL TEST WELL

**Company Headed by O. J. Stewart Now Ready for Business.**

[illegible] Oil & Gas Company [illegible] J. W. [illegible] Stewart [illegible] John [illegible] J. M. Stewart [illegible]

A well will be drilled [illegible] Smith field.

## HAS BROKEN BACK

**Foreign Patient Brought to Hospital from Millwood.**

Another patient with a broken back was brought to the hospital this morning. The unfortunate man is Kasimer Rutcki [illegible] He is about 26 years old and his home is at Millwood where he was injured in the mines by a fall of slate. [illegible] The injury however was received [illegible] weeks ago [illegible] chance of recovery [illegible] is not completely paralyzed [illegible]

**Noon Weather Report**

Partly cloudy tonight, probably showers tonight or Friday.

# GOT THEIR DIPLOMAS.

**Commencement Exercises of the Mt. Pleasant High School Held on Wednesday Evening.**

Mt. Pleasant, May 10.—(Special)—The Commencement exercises of the Mt. Pleasant High School were held last evening in the Grand Opera House. The house was packed [illegible] more than [illegible] friends and relatives of the graduating class present. The stage was decorated with the class colors and potted plants. The High School orchestra furnished the music. The members of the class received many handsome presents. The class program was as follows:

March, Mendelssohn; Orchestra; [illegible] Columbia; Chorus; History; [illegible]; Bodyguard; Orchestra; [illegible] Will You Come to My Mountain Home; Chorus; Class Poem; [illegible]; Chorus; Valedictory, Mary Ramsay; Presentation of Diplomas; Orchestra; Benediction.

# REPORTS ARE MADE

**At Sessions of the Christian Missionary Convention Here.**

## MORE DELEGATES HAVE ARRIVED

**The Fall Convention Will Be Held at Homestead Pa. Commencing on September 25 and Lasting Till Evening of the 27th.**

[illegible]

The Woman's Board of Missions [illegible] the Centennial [illegible] Church [illegible] the Centennial of [illegible] Mrs. J. S. [illegible] of Dawson [illegible] which the [illegible]

The [illegible] session opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. [illegible] Darby. The church quartet followed with a very pleasing [illegible] [illegible] Boys in [illegible] Miss Elizabeth [illegible]

This morning's session opened with praise service with Exposition of Selected Scripture conducted by Rev. A. [illegible] Cordon [illegible] The Place of Meeting Committee reported that the fall convention would be held at Homestead commencing Tuesday, September 25 and adjourning Thursday, September 27. The Time [illegible] Committee reported [illegible] pastors and 110 laymen were present [illegible] The Treasurer's report [illegible] C. D. Pigg [illegible] Mr. B [illegible] report [illegible] convention [illegible] supported by the Societies of Western Pennsylvania [illegible] the Board to be held Monday, May 14.

## SPIER DEFAULTER.

**His Books Show He Got Away With Large Sums of Money.**

[illegible]

## IDENTIFED AS ROBBERS.

**Two Negroes Held Up Jeweler in Piedmont W. Va.**

[illegible] Piedmont W. Va. [illegible] Carter [illegible] Spangler [illegible] the negroes [illegible] $[illegible] [illegible] Uniontown [illegible]

## CZAR OPENS DOUMA

**Asked Cooperation of Assembly in Making a New Russia.**

St. Petersburg, May 10.—(Special)—Amid [illegible] ceremonial and pomp [illegible] Russian [illegible] the Duma [illegible] National Assembly formally opened [illegible] Nicholas personally greeted [illegible] Douma [illegible]

The [illegible] freedom [illegible] and asked full cooperation in the work of [illegible] a new Russia.

**Three Old Timers**

[illegible] Brown [illegible] Harry [illegible]

**River Coal Shipments for April.**

Coal shipments from the Fourth Pool on the Monongahela river during April were [illegible] bushels.

# NEGROES ARE LANDED SAFELY IN JAIL.

**Big Crowd at Rockwood Shouted to Lynch, Shoot and Burn Men Captured in Wild West Style Here.**

## A NEW HIGHWAY.

**Improvement Urged for Pike Between Pittsburg and Philadelphia.**

The project of improving the old turnpike which passes through Greensburg, Bedford [illegible] connecting Philadelphia and Pittsburg and [illegible] State is [illegible] A bill has been introduced in Congress looking to the restoration of the National highway which passes through Fayette and Washington counties, and [illegible] historic highway [illegible] the disgraceful condition in which sections of it have [illegible]

No one who has crossed the State [illegible] through which this road passes [illegible] distance from Philadelphia to Pittsburg is about 317 [illegible] mountain grade [illegible] the Susquehanna at Columbia [illegible] would be needed [illegible] stone culverts [illegible]

[illegible] provided [illegible] townships and counties [illegible] the country.

## ASSAULT CHARGED.

**West Penn Track Boss Has Trouble With a Workman.**

[illegible] an employe of the West Penn Railways Company was given a hearing Wednesday evening before Squire [illegible] of New Haven on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Frank Rich, a boss trackman for the West Penn Railways Company [illegible] Connellsville [illegible] the defendant [illegible] struck him and [illegible]

[illegible] trackman for the West Penn Railways Company [illegible] discharged [illegible] Rich. The costs were [illegible] by the defendant [illegible]

**B. & O. Resigns**

[illegible] has resigned his position [illegible] Baltimore & Ohio [illegible] Pittsburg [illegible] Charles Mills has been transferred from [illegible]

**No Arrests in Rosenberg Case**

No arrests have been made in the [illegible] case of [illegible] Rosenberg, the New Haven peddler who was slashed across the [illegible] with a razor while having [illegible] Vanderbilt [illegible] The Italians who did the cutting have disappeared and no trace of them can be found.

**Indians in Town**

The Carlisle Indian base ball team were in town this morning en route to Morgantown W. Va. where they will play the West Virginia University team.

## HELD FOR SPANGLER SHOOTING.

**Plead Not Guilty at Hearing Claiming That Neither Was in Rockwood When Policeman Was Shot—No Word Received Yet From Dorsey Run Authorities.**

When Officers Chas. Horn and B. Rottler arrived at Rockwood yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock with Al Carter, alias Al Rainey and Charles McCoy, the "Mork," charged with the shooting of Policeman Edward Spangler of Rockwood the station was surrounded with an excited mob, although the officers succeeded in quickly landing the two negroes in the lockup.

While en route to Rockwood the two men began whispering to each other shortly after leaving Connellsville. Officer Rottler told them that they would have to cut it out, and unless they did so they would be placed in separate seats. Shortly after this McCoy, the negro who is supposed to have shot Spangler, complained that the handcuff was too tight and that it hurt him. The officers finally loosened it up. McCoy then endeavored to slip it over his hand. After a time he whispered to Carter, "I guess it's all off," and became quiet.

When the conductor called out that the next station was Rockwood both men became excited and pleaded with the officers to show fair play and not allow the crowd to kill them. When the train stopped at the station and the negroes saw the big crowd constituted composed of men, women and children they thought their hour had come. Captain Horn directed Constable Rottler to lead the way and [illegible] stepped from the train with the negroes following. [illegible] cry of "Lynch them" went up from the throng. McCoy [illegible] the officers [illegible] to him "For God's Sake" to protect them. Officer Ludwig, of the B. & O. force at Rockwood and Deputy Sheriff [illegible] down by Sheriff W. C. Begley met the local officers as they alighted from the train. They pushed through the yelling crowd who were calling to lynch, shoot, burn and kill. The crowd also yelled to the officers to get out of the way, but they hurried with their prisoners to the little lockup and slammed the door of it [illegible] in the face of the crowd.

Rockwood's lockup has two good cells but they are badly located for [illegible] occurrence of the kind that took place yesterday. Both cells are in the center of the floor and on all sides there are windows through which it is an easy matter to see criminals. At [illegible] these windows the crowd gathered and continued to yell. While the excitement was at its height and the negroes thought that they were about to be lynched McCoy and Carter pleaded with the officers to take them from the lockup and bring them back to Connellsville where they said they felt perfectly safe.

[illegible] C. H. Wolfersberger was [illegible] and took matters [illegible] all the assistance in his [illegible] to quell the disturbance. At [illegible] o'clock a hearing was held in the lockup before Squire [illegible] The warrant charging the men with felonious shooting with intent to kill and murder [illegible] Both negroes pleaded not guilty to the charge and denied having been in Rockwood.

[illegible] Charles Coughenour and a number of witnesses who were present at the time Spangler was shot positively identified the pair and a commitment [illegible] was made out. The men were taken to Somerset in charge of the Deputy Sheriff and Officer Ludwig, the local officers returning [illegible] home after placing them [illegible] the train.

The general impression is that Carter who it is believed is wanted at Dorsey's Run, Maryland, for the killing of Thomas Reinhart, was not implicated in the shooting of Spangler and the Somerset county authorities have agreed to turn him over to Captain Horn and Constable Rottler at any time he is called for. Superintendent O. H. Hobbs of Connellsville is handling the case through his department and will in all probability have definite knowledge from Maryland today.

**Committed to Jail**

William Lowman of Leisenring was sent to jail this morning by [illegible] that Frank Miller on a charge of nonsupport and desertion, preferred by his wife. It is alleged that owing to Lowman's laziness and neglect of his family his wife and five children have been compelled to live on their home at Leisenring.

**New East End School**

A new school building is to be erected in the East End, Uniontown.

# BETRAYS HIS TRUST.

## Confidential Clerk of Philadelphia Firm Confesses Embezzlement.

## AMOUNT MAY REACH $175,000

### Harrison Snyder & Son Victims of Too Great Confidence Placed in Employe—Spent Stolen Money in the Bucket Shops—Goes to Jail

Philadelphia, May 10.—Charged with having embezzled upward of $100 000 from his employers Edwin S Greenfield, head clerk of the banking and brokerage firm of Harrison Snyder & Son, of this city was arrested here and held in $10 000 bail for a further hearing. In default of bail he was sent to the county prison.

Greenfield has made a full confession and is doing everything possible to assist the firm in straightening out its tangled books. Following the announcement of the embezzlement creditors filed a petition in bankruptcy against George E Snyder trading as Harrison Snyder & Son and Judge McPherson appointed Charles N Vollum receiver.

Greenfield is about 30 years of age and has a wife and two children. He came to the firm from the school room and rose from office boy to the position of head clerk and trusted representative of the banking house. About two months ago Mr Snyder went to California and gave Greenfield a power of attorney to carry on his business. He returned from the west about a month ago and the first intimation that something was wrong came to him when he missed some valuable securities from his safe. It was not until last Monday that he was able to find where they had gone.

Greenfield then broke down and confessed. He admitted that he took money at various times during the last six years and that he lost most of it speculating in bucket shops. He could not give even an approximate figure of the money he had taken. Experts were at once put to work and Greenfield was placed under surveillance as he helped to straighten his tangled accounts.

Mr Snyder and his counsel believe the amount of money embezzled will be considerably over $100 000 and may reach $175 000. Mr Snyder said the deficit was a heavy blow to him, but he feels he will be able to pull through the difficulty. He said he was sure his customers would stand by him ... agreement he ... will be able to pay his creditors in full. He said he had trusted Greenfield implicitly and ... allowed him to carry on the entire business.

## ON CONSERVATIVE LINES

### Senate Disposes of Amendments Offered to Rate Bill

Washington, May 10.—After disposing of the question of ... transportation of ... the senate proceeded to the consideration of ... other amendments to the railroad rate ... voting some down and ... ing others but acting on all practically ... debate. Following are the amendments that were ... 

... requiring carriers to put in switches ... ; ... ing ... parties and ... Warren ... that it shall be the duty of ... engaged in ... Senator ... and ... complaints ... persons ... the same compensation for ... the transportation of passengers.

One of the amendments voted down was that offered by Mr. Ell... requiring ... connection with ... and another provision ... disposed of ... requiring railroads to supply ... the ... for the proper conduct of its business.

... division on either of these ... was ordered on an amendment ... La Follette ... jurisdiction over ... and ... The amendment was ... to 48. Most of the affirmative votes on this provision were cast by Democrats and the negative votes by Republicans. Senators Cullom and La Follette voted with the Democrats and Senators Clark of Montana and Gearing with the Republicans.

## STRAWBERRIES NIPPED

### Promising Crop in Ohio Damaged by the Cold Snap

Columbus, O., May 10.—Reports from central Ohio say the strawberry crop is badly damaged by the cold snap but fruit is ... to be safe. There was a light fall of snow.

Marietta, O., May 10.—It is estimated that damage of $75 000 has been done to the strawberry crop by frost. The crop promised to be one of the largest ever known in this section of the Ohio valley.

### Preacher Dies in Hospital

Altoona, Pa., May 10.—The Rev Richard Whitton, pastor of the ... View Methodist Episcopal church, went to the Altoona hospital for treatment for some ailment ... he prepared to go home despite the advice of doctors. While walking through the hall he dropped dead. He was aged ... and had been a member of the Central Pennsylvania conference for 35 years.

## OHIOPYLE.

### Notes from the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough

Ohiopyle, May 10.—... Fleming, the well known junk dealer of Dawson, was a business caller yesterday.

Quite a consignment of fencing wire arrived at this place yesterday by local freight for George Sh...

Clarence Bailey of Whig Corner was seen in town yesterday.

Scott Mitchell passed through town yesterday with a load of ... for parties near here.

Jarvis Stark paid Bear Run a flying visit.

William Hall, a well known B. & O. brakeman, formerly of this place but now of Connellsville, passed through town yesterday.

J. F. ... a well known traveling salesman of this place, is spending a few days at his home here.

William Anderson of near this place was in town yesterday attending business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. ... of near town were shopping in Ohiopyle yesterday.

David Daniels was a caller in town yesterday.

Roscoe Bailey of Whig Corner is spending a few days in Connellsville the guest of friends and relatives.

John Moon of Ladwell was looking after some business matters in town yesterday.

Alfred Mitchell of near town was a Uniontown business caller yesterday.

Try our classified ads. Only 1c a word.

... of near this place left on a business trip to the Yough Mountain ... yesterday.

Read the only up-to-date ... the county, The Daily Courier ... on ... 

... Harbaugh was ... of the new hotel yesterday ... the gloomy weather.

Jackson Myers of near this place was ... yesterday.

H. ... Holt of this place was Connellsville business caller ...

Ewing Kennedy was in own doing some ... work for Mrs. ... yesterday.

Yesterday proved to be a real March day instead of a summer ... from morning till ... and about ... it started to snow ... the ground white ... of weather is ... those who ...

... 

John ... of ... Ben Run ... business matters yesterday.

... whose ... is ... writing.

The ... 

D. H. ... who has been ... his home for the ... able to be ...

... this place ... Ohiopyle ...

... in town ...

... Bunnwell ... this place ... business ...

## HEALTH IN CONNELLSVILLE.

### A. A. Clark Says Care of Digestion Solves Problem of Long Life

... indigestion ... physical and mental ... direct result from ... stomach.

Of all the ... organs the stomach ... 

... Mi-o-na ... which is ... strengthen ... the system ... indigestion ... solving the question of good health ...

A. A. Clark sells Mi-o-na ... the money ... cost ... 

## RUFFSDALE.

### Chat of Personal Nature from a Courier Correspondent

Ruffsdale, May 10.—This is the closing day in the ... lower rooms of the public school ... teachers ... whose term ... closing are ... Dora ... Josephine Dennum. ... children ... having ... literary exercises this afternoon ... 

Mrs. D... and son of Mt. ... were shopping in town ...

So far ... cold weather ... little ...

The ... 

The next ... Mt. Sunday Ruffsdale ...

K. M. ... Yom ... was in town yesterday.

When The Courier ... 

### Baltimore & Ohio Excursions

One dollar to Mt. ... Braddock and Pittsburg and return every Sunday ... special train ... Connellsville ... 8:10 A. M.

# Greatest Garment Reduction Sale Ever Known IN May

As usual we are ready to cut prices on such goods as you are most in need of. No other house can offer such great buying opportunities as you will find here during this Reduction Sale of Spring and Summer Garments. There are hundreds of values that will positively find no equal outside of this store, and you will be convinced if you pay the "Big Store" a visit before purchases elsewhere.

## Big Millinery Showing.

Our Millinery showing has been complimented by a great many ... of artistic millinery. We are in a position to satisfy you with almost anything your wishes may demand ... Hats, Braids, Flowers ... the newest combinations of color effects.

From year to year our Millinery Department has steadily grown until today it is an important feature of the Big Store. Every ... has ... larger stock and more modern facilities ... 

## $16.50 Fine Eton Suits for $10.80

### A Reduction Unheard of Right in the Midst of the Busy Suit Season.

These suits are made of fine Panama Cloth in Eton Styles. Come in colors of Nile Blue, Reseda, Navy and all up to date shades. Very prettily trimmed with braids and silk. Skirts are the circular style with flare effect. A strong point in these suits is the workmanship. Every detail has been gone over carefully until the appearance is positively correct.

## $18.50 Eton Suits at $12.40

### Reductions Like These Should Appeal to the Woman With a Suit Want.

This line consists of Etons in blue, black, invisible gray plaids and in fact most any shade you might desire. Made of very fine grades of Panamas and artistically trimmed with silks and braids. The skirts are cut circular style and handsomely tailored. You'll find a wide range of styles in this line.

## All $25 Suits at $19.50

Etons and Pony styles in this line all shades, light and dark. Made of English Walking cloth, Panamas and Chiffon Worsteds.

Twenty five suits valued at from $27.50 to $35.00 will go at $21.90 during this reduction sale of garments.

### Reduction of Walking Coats

Lengths from ... to ... inches. Made of fine Dingonal English walking cloth, Shepherd plaids, velvet collars and cuffs, tailor strapped and stitched. Values from $12.00 to $14.00 at $8.85

The smart length English Covert coats ... inches long, at $14 values at $9.95

Covert Jackets values ... 

Covert Jackets values ... 

Covert Jackets values ...

All Silk Coats reduced ... as the above.

### Reduction of Girls Coats

Empire and Princess Styles ... blues, grays ... mixtures and ... 

... Girls ... navy ... and red ... $1.39

$2.50 English Covert Empire Coats for Girls from ... to ... years ... $1.95

$5 ... $6 ... Empire Coats and long Covert cloth Coats for Girls from ... to ... years at $...

Lot of ... English herring bone weaves $... and $... at $...

### Reduction of Skirts

Lot of Gray Plaids, Checks, Stripes and Mixtures in finely tailored Skirts. Thirty three in the assortment and three distinct styles to pick from. We're selling at $4.50, $5.00 and $5.50 at $3.45

Another lot of Skirts containing eight different styles finely tailored and made of the best Cellians, Panamas and Cheviots in gray, blue and black. All $6.50, $7 and $7.50 Skirts go at $4.90

All our Mission Skirts that were selling from $1.00 to $... will go at this reduction sale at $...

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Prices for work are as follows. For dusting 5c per yard, for washing, 10c per yard, scrubbing 10c, 15c per yard for dry cleaning, as we have a special machine in which we embody the dry cleaning process. 2c per yard for lifting, 5c per yard for relaying.

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Eighth Street, New Haven, Pa.

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a store starting its prices lower than we begin ours you can depend on getting undependable clothes, if you go below our safety line. We can better afford to lose such sales than to make them.

**We Will Not Handle Clothing That Will Not Make Pleased Customers.**

Indeed the "short-sighted" clothier is the best sort of a salesman for us because once you have had experience with his eratic garments, you are anxious to find clothes like "Wear-Well" suits which **are** worth while enough to guarantee **right.**

We also carry a fine line of Gentlemen's Furnishings, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc. See our line of Underwear.

We are Looking for You.

# KERNER'S,

Corner Pittsburg and Apple Streets.

# LAKE STRIKE ENDED.

## Longshoremen and Vesselmen Reach Agreement at Cleveland Conference.

## EMBARGO ON TRAFFIC LIFTED

### Twenty Thousand Men Rendered Idle by Strike Will Return to Work at Once—Negotiations Conducted Secretly and Terms Are Not Stated.

Cleveland, May 10.—Following conferences between President Keefe of the Longshoremen's union, and allied labor interests, and representatives of the dock managers, it is announced that the strike of longshoremen on the lakes has been settled. The men will go to work on the basis of last season's wages pending another conference.

The strike was inaugurated at midnight May 1 by the longshoremen for recognition of the mates union. Tug firemen oilers and water tenders also quit with the longshoremen and as a result lake carrying traffic has been tied up since with the exception of a few boats that have cleared from here and other lake ports with non-union men. Dozens of ships have been tied up in the harbors here and at Detroit, Buffalo and other ports laden with grain and ore and no effort made to discharge the cargo and in consequence enormous losses have been the result.

It is generally conceded that an increased charge for freight transportation will follow temporarily at least. During the strike the best of feeling has prevailed between the conflicting elements and no sort of disorder has occurred.

The negotiations looking to the peace which has been patched up were conducted with great secrecy.

The strike involved fully 20,000 men. The passenger lines were not affected.

## LOSSES TO BE PAID SOON

### San Francisco Policyholders Comforted by Insurance Companies

San Francisco, May 10.—Financial interest centers in the announcement made by the insurance companies that in the immediate future they would pay losses of the fire sufferers. It is believed that most of the money will be put into general circulation and when it is distributed will relieve the people of San Francisco as no other means could.

With the announcement that losses will soon be paid the insurance interests have made the concession that salvage operations on property swept by the flames may be proceeded with. Policyholders may save anything they can find without fear of risking the loss of their claims for insurance. To a great extent the work of demolishing walls and clearing away debris has been postponed because of the doubt regarding the attitude the insurance companies would take.

At the meeting of the reconstruction committee a resolution was adopted declaring that the wages for public and private employment at ordinary and unskilled labor should be $2.50 for nine hours. This rate has been fixed by the building trades council. General Greely has asked employers to pay their men something at least daily so that they may be able to pay for their meals.

"We are establishing relief kitchens all over the city," said General Greely, "and if the men employed could have their wages promptly paid it will greatly assist the work of relief."

The applications for relief show a decrease of 1,000.

## MITCHELL REJECTS OFFER

### And Soft Coal Operators Will Appeal to Roosevelt

Chicago, May 10.—The "general" convention of the bituminous coal operators will open here this morning in the knowledge that negotiations with the mine workers looking toward a settlement of the strike are at an end. A telegram was received from President Mitchell rejecting the last arbitration proposal of the mine owners.

Plans are being made by the operators to send a delegation to Washington to ask President Roosevelt to take immediate action to end the strike in the bituminous field.

The afternoon session of the coal operators of Illinois, Indiana and Ohio was occupied by the discussion of the best way to lay their proposed plans of arbitration before President Roosevelt. No definite conclusions were arrived at and the representatives of the Ohio Operators association met in executive session to determine what action of the concerted associations it will endorse.

The Illinois and Indiana members will meet this morning and the representatives of the three associations will meet in the afternoon and cast a final vote on the question of the personnel of the committee to be sent to Washington and the representations to be made.

### Postoffice Appointments

Ohio—Elbert B. Lockwood, Bedford; J. D. Carpenter, Lodi; C. A. Moodey, Painesville; J. H. Roberts, Springfield. Pennsylvania—D. W. Morgan, Franklin; W. H. Davis, Pittsburg.

### State Bank Goes Under

Harrisburg, May 10.—Banking Commissioner Berkey has appointed P. G. Cameron, a bank examiner, temporary receiver for the Columbia Savings & Trust company, Pittsburg.

## PERRYOPOLIS.

### Paragraphs From Famous Old Village Washington Laid Out.

Perryopolis, May 10.—Joseph Ghris of Jefferson township was a business visitor in town Monday.

Several people in this section will see Robert Mantell in Othello at the Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, this evening.

Prof. Stephens of Redstone was calling on his many friends in town Monday forenoon.

Dr. J. L. Cochran of Star Junction was transacting business in Pittsburg on Monday.

William Hon[illegible] spent Sunday with his family and returned to Washington county on Monday morning.

The Perryopolis Normal Institute opened Monday with a large enrollment and our streets now present a pleasing appearance morning and evening, being thronged with several score of bright and intelligent students.

C. B. Elwell was transacting business in the Redstone District Monday evening.

N. R. Martin was transacting business in Uniontown Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. S. Stickel was a business visitor out of town on Tuesday.

Dr. Martin was a visitor at Vanderbilt today.

The horse of John Wilkes the mail carrier ran off this morning and broke up the buggy, but Wilkes was not hurt.

D. R. Thistlewaite and Squire Alex Carson were in Uniontown today on business.

Squire Carson and O. J. Kinnear were business visitors in Uniontown on Wednesday.

A representative of Colliers Weekly was in town yesterday soliciting subscriptions for books and Colliers Weekly.

Mrs. Hannah Lynch and William Lynch were in Uniontown on business Wednesday.

Squire Carson is having his residence and other buildings treated to a coat of paint. George Martin is doing the work.

The bank examiner was in town on Tuesday making an inspection of our National Bank and found everything in first class condition.

A. P. Harris and W. S. Stickel spent Sunday afternoon with Joseph Ehn of Jefferson township.

Mrs. J. H. Marsh and children of New Haven are spending this week with Mrs. W. S. Stickel.

W. H. Pim[illegible] of Jefferson township was [illegible] new school house.

## NEW HAVEN.

### Local Matters from the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

[illegible] George Armstrong of Sixth street were business callers in Uniontown Wednesday.

Robert Mantell in Othello at the Colonial Theatre tonight. Get your seats reserved.

[illegible] of Somerset was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Williams of [illegible] Hill [illegible].

Squire Alex Carson of Perryopolis was calling on friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. S. [illegible] of Dawson was the guest of Mrs. William Porter of Sixth street Wednesday.

Rev. [illegible] of Dunbar was shaking hands with friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Overholt of Scottdale was the guest of her father George [illegible] of [illegible] Wednesday.

Miss Anna Curtis of Sixth street is the guest of friends at New Salem this week.

Mrs. [illegible] returned home from Pittsburg where she was the guest of Miss Lillian [illegible].

[illegible], a well known farmer of Wickerstown, was in town Wednesday on business.

A. B. Kurtz is moving his household goods from Sixth street to the Markle residence on Fourth street, recently vacated by Mrs. Elizabeth Markland.

Mrs. Mary Stoner of [illegible] returned home Wednesday after a visit [illegible] Misses McDiffett of Fourth street.

C. H. Brown of Pittsburg was in town Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Scott, Miss [illegible] and Clara Carroll [illegible] of Dunbar are attending the New Haven Normal Institute.

Miss Alla Williams of the hill is the guest of relatives at [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible] Rhodes of Sixth street Tuesday evening.

Curtis Morrow of Vanderbilt was the guest of his brother Ross Morrow of Main street Tuesday.

### Deed for Coal Land

Among the deeds filed in the office of Recorder [illegible] Tuesday was one from [illegible] Thompson and wife to the Oliver & Snyder Steel Company. The property consisted of coal and surface [illegible] lots of nearly [illegible] property owners in the Second Ward, Uniontown, and other parts of North Union township. Consideration $9,707.00.

### Cemetery Work

A lot of marble and granite headstones and monuments have arrived for Taylor & Wetherry for Decoration Day. Your choice of seventy-five different designs from $1.50 to $100. TAYLOR & WETHERRY, Scottdale, [illegible]

### An Old Mason Dead

William W. H[illegible], the oldest Mason in the Monongahela Valley and the last surviving charter member of Henry W. Phillips Lodge of Monongahela, died at Charleroi on Tuesday.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

### Live Local News from All Parts of the Town

Robert Mantell in Othello at the Colonial Theatre tonight. Get your seats reserved.

[illegible] Hot Plates. Schell's.

Dr. D. H. Griffith was here from Dunbar Wednesday on business.

Vases and fine bric-a-brac at A. B. Kurtz.

Miss Anna Humphries of Scottdale was among the out of town shoppers in town Wednesday.

Fisher Hardware Company headquarters for fine mechanical tool[s].

Mr. and Mrs. John Bender of the South Side have returned home from Pittsburg, where they have been the guests of friends for the past several days.

My wife ran a rusty nail into her foot. The foot swelled and pained her so that she could not put it to the floor. San Cura Ointment drew out a poisonous brown pus and she is now perfectly well. [illegible] McKenzie, Plum, Pa. [illegible] Connellsville. 25c and 50c.

Miss Hazel Kreer of Gallitzin is [illegible] guest of [illegible] Mrs. G. J. Welsh of [illegible].

Sterling silverware at A. B. Kurtz.

Mrs. P. R. Graham of [illegible] returned home from West Newton where she has been the guest of [illegible] parents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible].

[illegible] Carpet Cleaner [illegible] Schell's.

Mrs. [illegible] Elder and Miss Clara Pluke of [illegible] are visiting at the home of H. O. Keister on the South Side.

[illegible]

The best garden seeds are sold by the Fisher Hardware Company.

[illegible] Paint [illegible] Pittsburg [illegible] Wednesday on business.

Watches [illegible] from $1.00 to $100.

[illegible]

## LENHART IMPROVES

### Is Cheerful and Says He Has No Notion of Dying This Time

[illegible] that [illegible] Lenhart [illegible] Dr. Swope [illegible] was sent for [illegible] in the vicinity of the [illegible] wound [illegible].

[illegible] he will [illegible] pull through.

## THOSE WHO HELPED

### Base Ball Committee Thanks Good Friends for Interest

Scottdale, May [illegible] A. McCune, Jo[illegible] Clark and [illegible] of the committee of the Scottdale baseball club [illegible] their sincere thanks and appreciation of the efforts and strenuous services that made it possible to [illegible] Saturday [illegible] Burgess W. [illegible] Members of Council, [illegible] Scottdale [illegible] Scott [illegible] Firemen's Association, [illegible] Zellers, William [illegible] Newingham and [illegible] Company.

### Letter to L. F. Ruth,

Connellsville, Pa.

Dear Sir: The late President of the Croton River Bank at [illegible] N. Y. built the finest house in all that region in 1881 and painted it with Lead and Oil at a cost of $160. The house [illegible].

In 1887 [illegible] painted it with Devoe [illegible] 1897 this paint was in good condition [illegible] Devoe [illegible].

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

The [illegible] Lumber Company sell our paint. 65


# WALLACE FURNITURE CO.

**Opposite Postoffice. - - Near the Bridge.**

Our Remnant Sale has been such a success that we have decided to run it one more week with all remnants at half price. We have just received a car of Bed Room Furniture from Grand Rapids in genuine Mahogany, Tuna Mahogany, the finest Golden Oak and Satinwoods. The styles are the same as the very expensive suits, but the prices are very reasonable. It will pay you to come in and look us over. All Carpets made, laid and lined free. You can pay cash or have any time you wish.



# WALLACE FURNITURE CO.

**Opposite Postoffice. - - Near the Bridge.**



## Bank Money Orders.

The cheapest, quickest and safest way to send money anywhere is to buy a Bank Money Order from this bank.

They are issued in any amount and will be cashed by any bank in the United States.

They are accepted everywhere by merchants and business men as cash.

They cost less than Post-office and Express Money Orders and there is no application to fill out or red tape of any kind to go through when you buy them.

They are absolutely safe and are always worth their full face.

The next time you have money to send anywhere don't fail to buy a Bank Money Order. You'll find it a distinct advantage to do so.

## The First National Bank

Assets Over $1,700,000.00

Main Street. Connellsville, Pa.



## Porch Swings

Especially made for us. We have them in many styles which are sure to please you. The price will just fit your pocketbook, ranging from

**$3.00 TO $16.00**

Our Four Foot Weathered Oak Finish Mission style, is a general favorite among shoppers. Price

**$9.00**

## Refrigerators

We are particularly pleased with our line of Refrigerators this season, and very anxious to show them. Prices range from

**$5.00 TO $25.00**

## All Bargains

Our Own Brand Lawn Mowers, . . $2.50 to 8.50
Our Own Brand Lawn Swings, . . 5.00 to 6.00
Our Own Brand Step Ladders, .... 15 cts a Foot
Our Own Brand Extension Ladders, 16 cts a Foot
Our Ice Cream Freezers (1 qt. to 12 qt.) $1.50 to 6.00

## SCHELL HARDWARE CO.

Connellsville Uniontown Somerset



## WORK SHOES THAT WEAR

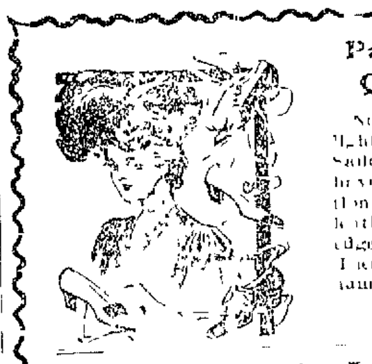
Durable shoes demand [illegible] good leather and good making. [illegible]

Our $2.00 Working Shoe proves that good leather and good workmanship [illegible] and sold for a reasonable price.

[illegible]

## John Irwin





## Patent Leather's Quite the Rage.

Not heavy Patent Calfskin but light flexible Patent Colt. In our Sailor and Christy Ties you won't have any trouble [illegible] the soft smooth leather [illegible] the prettily [illegible] edge; observe the fine stitching. These are John Kelly Shoes which [illegible] commendation in itself.

**$3.50.**

Sold by **R. M. HUNT & CO.**


### INJURED BY FALLING

#### Mrs Mary A. Porter of Wesley Chapel Has Misfortune

Scottdale, May 10.—Mrs. Mary A. Porter of [illegible] Wesley Chapel [illegible] unfortunate [illegible] Thursday night [illegible] confined to her home [illegible] Dunbar [illegible].

#### At Armar's Store

[illegible] Sunday, May [illegible]

[illegible]


## D-Zerta Quick Pudding

[illegible] just what every cook and housekeeper has been waiting for.

It is better, [illegible] than any other dessert [illegible] the table. [illegible]

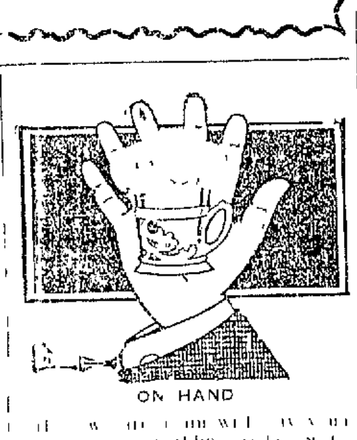
Add one quart milk, bring to a boil, cool and serve with cream and sugar [illegible] fruit. It will please you.

Five delicious flavors: Vanilla, Lemon, Chocolate, Strawberry, Orange.

*10 Cents at All Grocers.*

Order a package of each flavor today.





ON HAND

[illegible]

SPRING SODA WATER

[illegible]

MIKALARIAS & BERBATIS
Connellsville, Pa.



**Classified Ads One Cent a Word.**



## You'll Be Well Dressed

If you get your clothing here. Up to the hour styles from best makers are ready for you—more than you'll take time to look at, but every one worthy of consideration. All priced to well repay time spent looking them over.

**Spring Overcoats $10 to $30**

New long form fitting styles, with flared skirts, new dressy Paddocks and always popular Topcoats.

**Men's Suits $9 to $30**

New long sack styles, single and double breasted, with long lapels, shaped back and creased side seams. Grays, blues and blacks.

**Youth's Suits $7.50 to $28**

Every new style, single and double breasted, all made just right for young fellows of 14 to 20.

**Boys' Suits $2.50 to $12**

Very attractive Sailor and Russian styles, sizes 3 to 10, jaunty Norfolks and double breasted styles, sizes 8 to 17. Special values at

**$2.50, $3.50 and $5.00**

**STIFF AND SOFT HATS**

**SHIRTS NECKWEAR HOSE**

# C. A. PORT

Clothier Tailor Furnisher

# The Daily Courier.

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The Daily Courier has double the circulation of any other daily newspaper in Fayette county or the Connellsville coke region and is better distributed for the general advertiser. It is the only paper that presents each week sworn statements of circulation.

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Advertising rates on application.

Any irregularities or carelessness in the delivery of The Courier to homes by the carriers in Connellsville or our agents in other towns should be reported to this office at once.


STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION

State of Pennsylvania, county of Fayette, ss.

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and State personally appeared John H. Litmer, who being duly sworn according to law did depose and say:

That he is foreman of the press room of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed and circulated during the week ending Saturday, May 5, 1906, was as follows:

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| Apr 30 | 5,700 |
| May 1 | 5,240 |
| May 2 | 5,140 |
| May 3 | 5,278 |
| May 4 | 5,281 |
| May 5 | 5,17[illegible] |

That the daily circulation by months since January 1, 1905 has been as follows:

| Month. | Total | D.Av |
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| January | 94,794 | 3,648 |
| February | 100,853 | 4,2[illegible] |
| March | 120,123 | 4,460 |
| April | 111,302 | 4,470 |
| May | 112,911 | 4,3[illegible] |
| June | 119,014 | 4,577 |
| July | 109,188 | 4,370 |
| August | 111,8[illegible] | 4,205 |
| September | 118,069 | 4,541 |
| October | 112,755 | 4,13[illegible] |
| November | 110,147 | 4,046 |
| December | 115,352 | 4,621 |
| January, 1906 | 1[illegible] | 4,[illegible] |
| February | 118,8[illegible] | 4,952 |
| March | 118,195 | 5,114 |
| April | 137,818 | 5,513 |

And further sayeth not.

JOHN H. LITMER.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 7th day of May, 1906.

JOHN KURTZ, Notary Public.

THURSDAY EVEN'G, MAY 10, 1906

## THE GARBAGE QUESTION

The garbage question at best a vital ten proposition is becoming serious. The Board of Health complains that there is a scarcity of garbage haulers and that the removal of refuse is not properly attended to in consequence. The summer season is upon us and something must be done to remedy the situation. The public health demands it.

It is difficult to understand why garbage haulers are scarce. The business is profitable, particularly so when properly handled. Even the crude and improvident method employed by those who have engaged in it have always left a liberal margin on the right side of their ledgers. However, it is useless to speculate upon this feature of the situation. We have to deal with a condition, not a theory. There remains but one simple and effective way, and that is for the borough to undertake the work.

In any event the first thing to be done is to pass an ordinance making the collection and removal of garbage and offal compulsory. Rule 79 of the Board of Health says: Owners, tenants and occupants of houses shall provide suitable receptacles (not larger than a half barrel) for holding kitchen garbage and offal and shall deliver the same promptly when called for by the proper authorized persons. If the householder desires to evade the intent of the rule he may neglect or refuse to bargain with the collector for the removal of his garbage, in which event the collector will not call for it, and in case the garbage is not called for the householder is under no further responsibility. He may permit the can to stand for weeks, which he frequently does, to the deadly menace of the health of himself, his family and his neighbors.

If the borough should undertake the work it should pass a stringent ordinance requiring the collection of garbage. It should provide cans for the same so that a fresh disinfected can could be furnished each householder in exchange for the full can which would be placed on the wagon and not emptied until the dumping ground or the furnace was reached. The can should then be cleansed and disinfected and put in readiness for redelivery.

The town should be districted and each driver should make his round at least [illegible] times a week in the summer season and once or twice a week during the winter. For this service the ordinance should provide a certain fixed sum payable weekly, to be remitted in case of absence and closed premises. Refusal to make payment or any other infractions of the ordinance should be declared misdemeanors punishable by fine or imprisonment or both.

This plan would involve some initial expense to the borough for horses, wagons, cans and other equipment which may in the future include a garbage furnace, but the whole system can be made self sustaining on a very modest schedule of charges.

If the borough authorities deem it best not to enter upon the business themselves they can no doubt let the contract out to a responsible bidder by giving proper notice. This is done in many of the towns and cities. McKeesport let its garbage contract but recently took the matter into its own hands.

The work of removing Connellsville's garbage is at present being done in a very slipshod and uncertain fashion. Something should be done to improve upon existing conditions. We respectfully offer the foregoing suggestions for the consideration of the Town Council.

## PUBLIC SCHOOL REFORM

The new school boards of the county will organize the first Monday in June. School directors are usually men of more than average intelligence and public spirit. They serve their constituencies without pay and usually with fidelity, but they are too frequently prone to short sighted public economy, which finds expression in short school terms and low wages for teachers, and teachers are sometimes chosen through personal favoritism rather than on their merits.

All this is wrong. Directors who are guilty of these things are false to their trust. No school term should be less than eight months. That much schooling each year is owing to the rising generation. Moreover it should be of the highest grade of excellence, and to this end the best possible talent should be employed, and it cannot be had at low wages. Good teachers command good wages and school boards should be prepared to pay accordingly.

Where good salaries are paid it should be the duty of the directors to employ the best material without regard to personal preference. The directors should remember that they are performing a public duty, not paying a private obligation; that they are acting for the taxpayers of the district, not playing favorites on the people's money, and that the public has some rights which they are in duty bound to respect.

We hope to see this principle in these undoubtedly correct [illegible] when teachers are elected for the coming year. The standard of the [illegible] county schools can [illegible] always [illegible] we hope to see an earnest effort in [illegible] direction next month.

This is a reform year.

The opening gun of the Westmoreland campaign will be fired at Irwin this evening by Colonel Robbins, with the full hearty consent of Colonel [illegible]. Colonel Robbins bill [illegible] Colonel [illegible] to speak, but the latter says he was without his consent and that he will fix his own dates as soon as he can find time from his official duties at Washington.

The Queen of May has sent [illegible] buffalo robe.

Congressman Cooper [illegible] Somerset county with [illegible] wealthy man. [illegible] the Somerset [illegible] think everybody in Fayette county is rich and [illegible] is rich [illegible]

The eloquent prayer that [illegible] from the lips is empty [illegible]

The Courier of yesterday was only the regular size of fifty-six columns but it contained nearly twice as much local and other matter as [illegible] any of its contemporaries.

Colonel Elkins wants a $10,000 [illegible] wage. He [illegible] people would come [illegible]

Some of the towns in Western Pennsylvania are beginning [illegible] When Judge [illegible] down from the bench and Mayors lock up their desks to go out and join in a public parade [illegible] do honor to a bunch of [illegible] ball players it begins to look as if the standards of civilization [illegible] reversed and that brawn [illegible] had become the ideal of the nation.

The cold weather has forced the spring housecleaning epidemic.

It seems incredible, but it is a cold fact that [illegible] weather [illegible] from [illegible] with an assortment of May snow storm [illegible] assortment of spring storm.

The R[illegible] got [illegible] to the pipe lines [illegible] of the Oil Octopus, [illegible]

Pennsylvania Congressmen say they have the Republican State Convention [illegible] the candidate for Governor [illegible] the news item [illegible] mighty big [illegible] for them to [illegible] anything else. The Democratic State Convention will be the only convention that will take orders this year.

Senator Gorman is reported to be hopelessly ill. The Democratic party is losing some of its greatest pillars [illegible] length.

Russia has [illegible] constitution [illegible] opening today. It is hoped that it will not be a tomb opening.

Dunbar [illegible] with railroad [illegible] The people up that way had better [illegible] policemen to see that the railroads do not [illegible] own.

Our Owl [illegible] Davis made a record run [illegible] postoffice.

It looks as though the [illegible] party would have to advertise for a candidate [illegible]

[illegible] Some people [illegible] before the [illegible] [illegible] after.

Madam May

Famous palmist, consults all matters. Those who did not get waited on call early. Same price. Come today, all who can, and tomorrow forenoon. Smith House.

| Westmoreland Republican Primary Announcements | Election Saturday, June 2. |
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For Congress [illegible]

For Assembly [illegible]

For Clerk of Courts [illegible]

For Jury Commissioner [illegible]

For Poor Commissioner [illegible]

| Classified Advertisements. | One Cent a Word. |
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### Wanted

[illegible]

### Lost

[illegible]

### For Rent

[illegible]

### For Sale

[illegible]

### Money to Loan

$1,000 TO LOAN [illegible]

### Notice of Incorporation

[illegible]


DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania [illegible] and warmer Thursday [illegible] light variable winds mostly [illegible]

## This Week's Business

[illegible]

## Children's Dresses.

[illegible]

## Misses' and Ladies' Wash Suits.

[illegible]

## Covert Jackets Reduced.

[illegible]

## Children's Rain Coats

[illegible] Sizes [illegible] from $5.00 to $1.00

## Boys' No-Mend Stockings.

[illegible]

## White Goods.

[illegible]

## The Carpet Room.

[illegible]

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.,

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

# Babies' Soft Sole Shoes.

Not just a few but a variety of styles larger and more varied in shapes and combinations of leather and trimmings than mothers have had the opportunity of seeing before. Many of the patterns are entirely new and are not to be seen elsewhere. Some eighteen styles to select from—every one a pretty one—and of the best quality. The kind that costs you 50c. Sizes 0 to 3. See them.

Norris & Hooper

104 W. Main Street

of good values in

Stoves and Gas Ranges

throng our store. We won't guarantee that they will be here very long. Better order today while the prices are right and prompt deliveries are assured.

F. T. EVANS

Connellsville, Pa

| Eastman's Talcum Powder 10c box. | The New York Racket Store | Mennen's Talcum Powder 10c box. |
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## Seasonable Skirts.

All the new Spring and Summer [illegible] Skirts [illegible] $4.99

Dozens of the newest things [illegible] $1.99

We have a very pretty and stylish line of Ladies' Skirts [illegible] colorings [illegible] Skirts that [illegible] only $2.49

An extensive line of Ladies' nicely tailored Skirts that are sure to please because they are made right and of elegant material. The price is [illegible] $1.25

## SHOE TALK.

We call especial attention to our line of [illegible] Oxfords [illegible] $1.99

Children's [illegible] Oxfords [illegible] 99c

A big variety of Misses' School Shoes and Shoes for boys and girls [illegible] 99c

Ladies' Dress and good wearing Shoes [illegible] $1.25

Men's Patent leather Dress Shoes [illegible] $3.50 [illegible] $1.99

Men's heavy Work Shoes at old prices. A big stock always on hand. Price special price $1.50 to $1.25

In this Soft [illegible] Cloth [illegible] 50c

## Stylish Millinery.

A stylish hat in harmony with a pretty face and a perfect form. Every hat we make is made with that distinct style which adds to an elegant appearance. Sailors, Chips and Shaped Hats in a profusion of styles. We call special attention to our line of trimmed Hats, at $9.98, $4.98 and $2.98

| Axminster Velvet Carpet | Wall Paper | Garden or Flower Seeds | 10 Wire Bressels Carpet |
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| 99c yd. | 2 cents Bolt. | 3 pkgs., 5c. | 79c yd. |

# The New York Racket Store

106 W. N. LECHE 106

This day and several following are to be

# SHIRT WAIST DAYS.

Choice pretty waists at such little prices for so much prettiness—all who come will be surprised and pleased. $1.00 for $1.25 and $1.50 values.

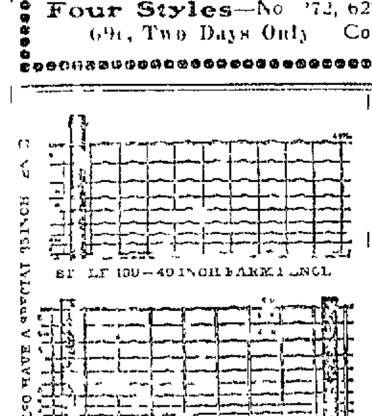
**Batistes and Organdies.**—White grounds, color printings, 10c, far beyond 15c cottons as usually sold. See them and let the printing tell how near right we are about that.

**The Real Scientific Underdress** and supporting garments for Boys' and Girls' are THE MINNEAPOLIS "M" WAISTS. The reasons are seen in the waist themselves, which our department sales people will gladly demonstrate. Every mother will be interested. The M Waists sell for **15c and 25c.**

69c SPECIAL SALE OF KABO CORSETS 69c

Friday and Saturday, May 11th and 12th.

**Four Styles**—No. 72, 627, 603 and 6[illegible]—sold all over the country for $1.00, our sale price 69c, Two Days Only. Come early and get your size.

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THE ONLY ELECTRICALLY WELDED FENCE ON THE MARKET. NO JOINTS TO HOLD MOISTURE AND CAUSE RUST. WE HAVE IT IN STOCK AND CAN SAVE YOU MONEY. INQUIRE OF

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"Brimstone Corner."

YOU CAN BUY Good Oxfords CHEAP.

PRICE $1.50 for WOMEN.

We have them for Women, Misses and Children. They are perfectly solid and we guarantee them to wear. We buy them from a manufacturer that makes good shoes and don't cost much money. They are in Patent Leather, Vici Kid and Tan Vici, Blucher Lace.

Women's and Misses' all $1.50

Children's $1.00, $1.15 and $1.25.

We want you to come here and look us over before you buy your Summer Footwear. We can shoe the family. GOOD QUALITY is cheaper here than at some other stores.

I. C. SMUTZ,

127 N. Pittsburg St., Connellsville, Pa

## Local and Personal.

Robert Mantell
In Othello Tonight
At the Colonial Theatre

Better let me save you $5 to $10 on that spring suit? No tailor anywhere turns out better work. Dave Cohen removed to 108 N. Pittsburg street second floor.

Miss Lena Casebolt of Quincy, W. Va., who has been visiting Mrs. C. B. Casebolt, has returned home. Mrs. Casebolt and Margaret Shrock accompanied her as far as Pittsburg.

Garland and Favorite Cook Ranges are best. We have them. Schells.

Bernard Welker, Assessor of the Third Ward, Connellsville, went to Uniontown Wednesday and took back his books. He will begin the May registration at once.

Go to Frisbee Hardware Company for cream separators.

Homer Stahl, a motorman for the West Penn Railways Company, has returned to his duties after spending several days at his former home near Mt. Pleasant, where he was called by the illness of his mother.

Thompson's Barosma at once corrects the kidneys, soothes the nerves and restores the stomach and heart to their normal condition. Thompson's Barosma is pleasant to take. 50c and $1.00. J. C. Moore, Connellsville.

Burgess Wyman of Uniontown on Wednesday morning sent [illegible] pints of whisky to the hospital to be used for sponge baths and other purposes. It had been left at the lockup by prisoners and had been accumulating for some time.

18 kt. Tiffany wedding rings at A. B. Kurtz's.

G. A. Show, who was thrown off his wagon some time ago and seriously injured, is able to resume his duties as teamster for the Carroll Lumber Company at Uniontown.

Mantell is greatest in Othello. Colonial Theatre tonight. Seats 50c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Geo. M. Snyder, Register Assessor of Franklin township, came to Uniontown for his books Tuesday afternoon and will begin the registration of that district at once.

For sidewalks and all kinds of cement and concrete work see Pittsburg Art Stone Company. We can do you good. Offices 105 and 106 First National Bank building.

Mrs. W. H. Mason left this morning for Braddock, Pa., where she will be the guest of friends for several weeks.

Fishing tackle. Schells.

Mrs. M. E. Waltz and children formerly of Connellsville, but who had been visiting her brother W. J. Boyer of Mt. Pleasant for the past several weeks, left this morning for Meyersdale, where he will visit friends [illegible] at Glencoe and Cumberland, after which she will go [illegible], where they expect to make their future home.

A. B. Kurtz carries the best selection of cut glass, white and gold, etched and colonial, to be found in the city.

Andrew and Joseph Oher of Dayton visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of their sister, Mrs. Frank Stevens of Center avenue, Mt. Pleasant.

Garden and Flower Seeds. Schells.

Mrs. Leslie Gallatin of McKeesport is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sloan of Sixth street, New Haven.

Mrs. Boyd Scott and Mrs. James Scott of Dunbar were shopping in town Wednesday.

Dr. S. D. Woods & Son, dentists, room 205 First National Bank Building.

Mrs. Mary Cochran of Dawson was among the out of town shoppers in town Wednesday.

O. C. Steel, solicitor for the Bell Telephone Company, is at Wes. Overton today on business.

Mrs. Sallie McClelland of Perryopolis was shopping in town Wednesday.

Robert Mantell in Othello Colonial Theatre tonight. Phone for seats now.

[illegible] of Uniontown was in town this morning on his return home from Pittsburg.

Mrs. Ruth [illegible] of Uniontown was the guest of [illegible] in town this morning.

James S. Allen, clerk at the Wyman Hotel, [illegible] home this morning from Pittsburg.

Allen C. [illegible] Cleaning clears carpets on the floor. Schells.

Mrs. [illegible] of Dawson was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Harry Carpenter of Fairview avenue.

Mrs. John Hautman of Mt. Pleasant was in town this morning on her way to Pittsburg to visit friends and relatives.

I had been troubled with bleeding and itching piles for seven years and was entirely cured by San Cura Ointment. J. C. Sterling, Maplewood Stock Farm, Titusville, Pa. San Cura Ointment 25c. Wash with San Cura Soap. J. C. Moore, Connellsville.

Attorney Ross Matthews of Uniontown was in town today on business.

Mrs. [illegible] of Vanderbilt was calling on friends in town this morning.

See A. B. Kurtz's diamond rings at $6.00 and $[illegible].

[illegible] of Dawson was in town this morning.

[illegible] of Dawson was [illegible] calling on friends in town this morning.

[illegible] has accepted a position with the Highland Planing Mill and Hardware Company.

Mrs. Elizabeth May Brown of the South Side is the guest of friends at Scottdale today.

[illegible] of Dunbar was in town this morning on business.

Mrs. Anne White of West Leisenring and sister Mrs. R. E. [illegible] of Uniontown went to Allegheny this morning, where they will attend a card party to be given this afternoon by Mrs. Carson.

Lost, on May 1, a gold whip bracelet on Pittsburg street. Finder will receive reward if returned to Courier Office.

Mrs. James McGinin of the Yough House returned home today from Cambridge Springs, where she has been sojourning for several weeks.

## SCOTTDALE THEATRE PARTY.

### Many People of the Locality Preparing to See Othello Tonight

Scottdale, May 10.—A large number of Scottdale, Everson, Alverton, Ruffsdale and Mt. Pleasant people are making plans to attend the Colonial Theatre in Connellsville tonight to see Robert Mantell in Othello, one of William A. Brady's magnificent productions of the Shakespearean drama. The play comes to the Colonial from a very successful season in Pittsburg and the people here are happy to avail themselves of the short run to Connellsville to see such a production.

Manager Robert W. Singer is working on making it easy for the people of both counties to attend the performances at his theatre, is greatly appreciated. Mr. Singer has made arrangement with the West Penn Railways Company to see that there are cars run direct to the theatre door and are held there until the performance is over, so that there is no need of nervousness that the accommodations will not be provided for the return of the people coming from a distance. At the last production at the Colonial Scottdale contributed three streetcar loads. It is probable that about that many will go over tonight.

### SOLD BIG TRACT.

#### "Bennie" Brown Disposes of Land in the Ridge

Greensburg, May 10.—[Special]—Bennie Brown has just closed a deal whereby he disposed of 184 acres of timber and coal lands lying near Stewart Crossing, in Youngstown. The property lies in [illegible] of Youngstown and the consideration was $12,000. [illegible] vein of excellent [illegible] coal [illegible]. Some of the [illegible] was brought to Greensburg [illegible].

#### Frank Luce Recovering

Frank Luce, [illegible] who was shot through the lung [illegible] Hill [illegible] is doing well. Detective McBeth [illegible] to hold Luce as witness [illegible] Tony D[illegible] who [illegible] charged with the shooting.

#### Train Service at Kingwood

Beginning Sunday, May [illegible], Sunday trains were put on the M. & K. railroad running from Morgantown to Kingwood. This will give two trains through the week.

## DAWSON.

### Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough

Dawson, May 10.—M. Cavender of Connellsville was a business caller here Wednesday.

The town will be well represented at the Colonial Theatre, Connellsville, this evening when Robert Mantell appears there in Othello. Many seats have been reserved by those from Dawson. Dawson dwellers like the personal high class plays at the Colonial and its support is appreciated by Manager R. W. Singer.

Alva Cottom, traveling salesman for Armour & Co., was seen in town yesterday.

A large crowd attended the McDougall dancing school held in the Cochran banquet room Tuesday evening.

Lloyd Port and Paul Cest[illegible] of Connellsville were calling on friends here Tuesday evening.

Frank D. Cramer, a P. & L. E. conductor on the Dickerson Run [illegible] crews, is moving his family this week from McKees Rock. He will occupy the house recently vacated by J. Allen Crawford.

Farmers coming into town report much damage done to the fruit from the effect of the recent frosts [illegible] and this morning snow was falling.

Mrs. Susan Stone of Kansas City, Mo., who has been visiting friends and relatives at Vanderbilt and Mrs. Christopher Freed of near Vanderbilt, were the guests of Mrs. J. McGill north Dawson Wednesday.

Mrs. Margaret McDonald was the guest of friends at Uniontown [illegible].

James Hay [illegible] Connellsville was visiting Tuesday at the home of his parent, Mr. and Mrs. John Hay, [illegible].

The ball game between the Dawson Colts and the Broad Ford [illegible] was postponed Wednesday on account of rain.

J. M. Marland, Deputy Revenue Collector, passed through town this morning en route to Somerset.

William Mears is [illegible] to [illegible] sent Vanderbilt [illegible] the opening [illegible] at [illegible] on Saturday. [illegible] Speaks expects to find [illegible] with the following [illegible] Bing [illegible] Kelly [illegible] Laughlin [illegible] Brown [illegible].

## VANDERBILT.

### Personal Chat from the New Borough Down the Yough

Vanderbilt, May 1. — [illegible] Snyder the well known [illegible] of [illegible] Liberty was in Dunbar Wednesday looking after business connected with his line of work.

Vanderbilt and Dawson will send a big delegation to Connellsville this evening to see Robert Mantell in Othello at the Colonial Theatre. Special street car service has been arranged. Seats can be reserved from here by phone.

Joseph H. Brickley, [illegible] liveryman, went to Pittsburg Wednesday where he [illegible] buying [illegible] horses. [illegible] is greatly interested in good horses.

Mr. Berkstein [illegible] of Pittsburg's wholesale merchants was calling on the merchants of this place yesterday afternoon.

[illegible]

William Williams, who met such a tragic death on the branch of the P. & L. E. railroad on [illegible], was buried this afternoon. Services being conducted by Rev. [illegible].

C. C. Platt, the grocer, [illegible] their [illegible] business in New Haven recently.

Joseph Muhr who [illegible] has been a [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] hard [illegible].

Mrs. Mollie Lewis was among those who were shopping in Connellsville the first of the week.

## PRESS AGENT YARNS

### What They Say of Plays Coming to the Colonial Theatre

B. C. Whitney's production of the Show Girl [illegible] wearing the mystic [illegible] R. A. Barnet [illegible] for her when the Boston Cadets [illegible] will be on the [illegible] at the Colonial [illegible] The Show Girl [illegible] and money [illegible] without [illegible] and scenery. The cast [illegible] the mirth [illegible] comedy [illegible] and the following well known [illegible] popular favorites: Lou Hall, John Mylie, [illegible] W. [illegible] Raymond Belmont, [illegible] Wilson, Harry Thornton, [illegible] Fuller, the [illegible] Trio [illegible] Quartette, the Rainbow Sisters, and [illegible] singing and dancing girls.

## OLIPHANT.

### Interesting News Letter From the Little Coke Town

Oliphant, May 9, 1906.—The Union Supply Company [illegible] the store [illegible]. The work [illegible] week and [illegible] the [illegible].

Richard Allen [illegible] improving his property by having a [illegible] fence built in front of his home.

### Baltimore & Ohio Excursion

Sunday, May 13. $1.50 to Cumberland and return. Special train leaves Connellsville at 8:00 A. M.


# We Want You!

Yes Sir, we want you and every other Man in this locality to center his Spring Suit thoughts on this store.

It's certainly time to give your faithful but tired Winter Suit a rest and turn your attention to

## Fresh Spring Styles

We've Single and Double Breasted Suits in the new cuts. The shapely backs—medium length—long and wider lapels, loose fitting trousers, etc.

Every Department now blossoms with Spring Freshness in new wearables.

Our excellent clothing, our correct hats and our choice toggery are well worth your attention.

SUITS:---$10, $12, $14, $15, $16.50, $18, and $20.

## High Class Tailoring

At moderate prices. We are almost as busy as we can be making clothes for people who know our work and have come back for more. Alomost, we said. We can do more, but we shall undertake no work that we cannot do well and properly.

**Suits to Measure $25 and Up.**

We're interesting a great many men these days and we would be pleased to talk the clothes question with you.

# E. W. Horner,

THE GOOD CLOTHES STORE,

128 N. Pittsburg St. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.



# An Appreciation.

We are very grateful for the warm sympathy that has been extended to us by both social and business friends since our new building, just completed and the dream of years, was destroyed by fire. We assure them that such expressions of friendliness as they have made, coupled with numerous offers of assistance, have made an impression that will linger with us always.

While such a blow as we have received is naturally a set-back, it seems hardly necessary to say that we shall arise again and assume our former position in the mercantile world.

Very gratefully yours,

AARON'S



# Extraordinary Shoe Sale!

Gorman & Co., the New Exclusive Shoe House, will place on sale beginning Friday, May 11th, 3,250 pairs of Men's, Women's and Children's High Grade Shoes and Oxfords, all entirely new and up to date, and at

**Prices That Will Interest You.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **$1.00** | $[illegible] Men's Dress Shoes at | $2.00 | **$1.25** |
| [illegible] Men's Work Shoes [illegible] double [illegible] will go [illegible] | $[illegible] Fine Dress Shoes at | $1.50 | Ladies' Patent Leather Shoes or Oxfords [illegible] all styles and sizes while they last at |
| | $[illegible] Shoes at | $2.00 | |
| **$1.00** | $[illegible] Boys' Fine Dress Shoes at | $1.00 | **$1.25** |
| | Misses' Shoes and Oxfords [illegible] | $2.00 | |

We only quote a few prices. If you need Shoes for the hardest employment or the finest dress occasion you will find them at lower prices at

# Gorman & Co.,

122 W. Main Street. Connellsville, Pa.



# Economy--Wealth!

**THREE SPECIALS.**

**1 Dozen Mason Quart Fruit Jars, 45c.**
**½ Can American Brand Baking Powder 15c, with present.**
**¼ Pound American Brand Tea 15c, with present.**

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| Pure Olive Oil, quart | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Romano Cheese | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | $1.25 |
| Box [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 25c |
| Cream Cheese | 15c | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 25c |
| Imported Swiss Cheese | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | California [illegible] | 10c |
| [illegible] | | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 15c |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] Herring | 25c |
| Solid packed Tomatoes, can | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 2 pound [illegible] | | [illegible] | [illegible] | 20 pounds Sugar | $1.00 |
| 2 Boxes Force | [illegible] | [illegible] | | | |

**Watch Our Ad. Next Week**

# Italo-American Company

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235 N. Pittsburg Street, - Connellsville, Pa.

# WAITING FOR MONEY.

## Depositors of Defunct Delmont Bank Are on Anxious Seat.

## NO STATEMENT HAS BEEN MADE

### Cases on Trial in Civil Court Are Dragging Along Slowly With the List About Two Days Behind. Routine of Westmoreland Courts.

From a Staff Correspondent.

Greensburg, May 10.—"Will we get it or will we not?" That is the question keynote to the situation out at Delmont, where the Delmont National Bank is in charge of Government officials. Bank Examiner Cunningham completed his examination of the books and monies of the institution yesterday, and left the place in charge of Receiver Murray. He would not give out a statement concerning the condition in which he found things, and rumors are thick in the little town. Some say the bank will pay dollar for dollar to depositors, and the reports vary from that to utter failure.

J. M. Keck, Cashier of the bank, was in town yesterday. He says his has been a trying position since the bank closed its doors some days ago. He has nothing to do with the responsibility for the institution's shortage, but he was there and had the angry crowd of depositors to face. McQuaide, the missing President, has not been located, so far as is known in Delmont. In fact the people there are guessing on the entire situation.

Wednesday's Civil Court.

The jury in the replevin suit of Caroline Kuntz vs. Joseph Kuntz awarded a buggy in controversy to Mrs. Kuntz. The defendant, who is the husband of the plaintiff, had bought the buggy from W. I. Hunter, the local carriage dealer, and made the payments in his own name, but the wife averred that the money to make the payments was supplied by her and the jury so found. The defendant deserted his wife and took the buggy with him. He is now serving time in the local jail rather than pay her $10 a month for the support of herself and children.

In Judge Doty's court was begun the case of S. R. Seybold vs. J. W. Logan & sons. This is an action to recover the price of a gravel roof. Logan & Sons defend on the ground that the roof is not satisfactory.

The case of Michael Burton vs. The Borough of Jeannette is still occupying the attention of Judge McConnell's Court. This is an action to recover damages for injury to property alleged to have been done by the change in the grade of a street.

The cases on Monday's list remaining to be tried are as follows, viz.: Daniel Jenkins vs. The Borough of Jeannette, appeal from award; Dr. B. F. Smith against John Fellows, appeal; Mrs. Bridget Green vs. Pittsburg, McKeesport & Greensburg Street Railway Company, trespass; and the Equitable Trust Company of Pittsburg vs. The Borough of New Kensington, assumpsit. These cases have been delayed by reason of the fact that the attorneys retained by the parties were concerned in other trials.

A bail piece was taken out by defendant's bail in the Quarter Sessions case of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. John Jays, felonious assault and battery, as the bail feared that he was about to leave the county.

# A B. & O. SHORT LINE.

## The C. & O. Branch Will Be Extended Through to Oakland This Summer Report Says.

An extension of the branch running south from Confluence, Pa., by which Pittsburg will be brought many miles closer to three popular mountain resorts of Western Maryland, the Baltimore & Ohio entrenched more strongly in that territory and new coal lands opened, is contemplated by the Baltimore & Ohio management, and construction may be authorized this year. The activity of Gould's Western Maryland system, which threatens the Baltimore & Ohio's predominence and is surveying routes which the Baltimore & Ohio may subsequently need, is largely responsible for the attention which the latter company is now giving to projects heretofore considered immaterial.

The Baltimore & Ohio branch from Confluence to Kendall chartered under the name of the Confluence & Oakland railroad, is 20 miles long, and 20 miles more must be built to connect with the main line at Oakland. It is this extension which is now under consideration. The Penn-Garrett Coal Company is opening new mines in Garrett county, Md., and the extension proposed will reach these mines and others soon to be opened.

The extension will give a line from Pittsburg and points north of Confluence, as well as from the Somerset & Cambria branch, to Western Maryland and West Virginia. Oakland, Mountain Lake Park and Deer Park will be brought 25 miles nearer to Pittsburg, and these resorts will be made popular here by through service via the new line. In addition the Baltimore & Ohio will have another route to the East in case of any contingency. The proposed extension, it is estimated, will cost $750,000.

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# WESTMORELAND

## Real Estate Transfers and Other News from the Court Records.

Andrew S. Miller to David R. Miller, land in New Kensington; $600. October 12, 1898.

Andrew B. Greenawalt to Elbina Lastick, land in Penn township; $800. April 30, 1906.

Geo. F. Midgley to East Pittsburg Improvement Company, land in Trafford City; $510. April 23, 1906.

Margaret Roose to Chas. H. Datz, land in Irwin; $1,000. May 3, 1906.

William Altman to Cyrus S. Long, land in Penn township; $225. April 24, 1906.

Levi J. Bazler to Pierce Bazler, land in Rostraver township; $104. May 4, 1906.

Mary Hill, per executors, to L. D. Hilty, land in Franklin township; $6.25. February 10, 1891.

Ada F. Gregory to John L. Gregory, land in Mt. Pleasant township; $950. May 5, 1906.

Ada F. Gregory to Albert G. Hensley, land in Penn township; $1,600. May 5, 1906.

Amos Mahaney to Etta Kesler, land in Donegal; $800. May 5, 1906.

Oliver Wylie, trustee, to David J. Edward, land in Avonmore; $1,500. April 28, 1906.

John S. Campbell to John S. Burns, land in Ligonier township; $900. April 2, 1906.

William Steffey to John Dight, land in Fairfield township; $80. May 2, 1906.

Barry H. Clepper to J. C. Young, land in Vandergrift Heights; $1,700. May 5, 1906.

County Expenditures.

J. M. McGinnis, costs, $3.10; G. S. Wentzell, registry, $4.00; J. Mathias & Company, whisky, $17.25; Greensburg Fish & Poultry Company, fish, $45.85; G. A. Hockey, commitment, $2.22; F. B. Carson, road view, $11.90; E. H. Ankney, outdoor relief, $15.25; W. C. Loor, burying an old soldier, $50; Barner & Wilson, outdoor relief, $39.25; R. M. Loughrey, salary as Poor Director, $125; The Review Publishing Company, printing, etc., $121.50; Louis Wentz, costs, $2.70; Jacob Corman, outdoor relief, $17; County Treasurer H. F. Bovard, April salaries, $361.66; R. A. Rankin, salary as Register of Wills, $233.33.

# FAYETTE COURT RECORDS.

## Deeds, Marriage Licenses and County Expenditures.

Harry E. Sisley and wife to Paul Skoanvar, seven acres of land in Perry township; $3,000. April 16, 1906.

Gertrude E. Zarrad to Frederick Zarrad, property in Connellsville; $1.00, etc. May 2, 1906.

Thomas Black and Celia Black to Elizabeth Gray; lot in Hammondville, $300. April 2, 1906.

John B. McLaughlin to John E. Dowden, two small tracts of land in Franklin township; $2,100. March 2, 1903.

Thomas P. Jones, administrator of the late Vance S. Moser of Georges township, house and nine acres of land near Smithfield, to Maria Breakiron; $600. May 7, 1906.

William G. Binns, attorney in fact for the heirs of the late William McCrory, to Alexander Ledlam, house and lot in Fayette City; $1,500. April 25, 1906.

Marriage Licenses.

Bert F. Miller of Saltlick township and Mary E. Swain of Bullskin township.

John Lengel and Pauline Duboy, both of Vanderbilt.

David J. Townsend of Outcrop and Leraine Davis of Fairchance.

Wesley Ansell of Lemont and Martha Cross of Continental No. 1.

Lewis D. Casey and Ida Pearl Hart, both of Dillner, Pa.

# UNCLAIMED LETTERS

## At the Connellsville Postoffice During the Past Week.

Following is the list of unclaimed letters advertised in the Connellsville postoffice:

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| Anderson Grant. | Leade George. |
| Bruns J. W. | Leggins R. J. |
| Burnaker Geo. | Landis Milton H. |
| Bolin Katie. | Lilley A. C. |
| Basutyk Wasyl. | Martison Selma. |
| Beacon W. P. | McGuire James. |
| Balsley C. H. | Myser J. H. |
| Beamer Chas. A. | McClenry H. N. |
| Cummings John. | Miller M. |
| Collins James. | McDonald Lucy. |
| Campbell Geo. T. | Midland Coal & Coke Co. |
| Clayton W. | Moyer R. E. |
| Cox Mary (2). | Moody Alex. |
| Connaway P. J. | Mustane Bros. |
| Clarke D. L. | Porter Pott. |
| Colletta Carmine Di. | Richards John. |
| Dunn Etta R. | Riggons Minnie. |
| Dear Elmer. | Skelly W. |
| Davis Elsie. | Santmyer Perry. |
| Eanus James. | Smith John A. |
| Ellery Mrs. | Strawn Jas. |
| Earl Russell. | Stephenson Lucinda. |
| Finnerty John. | Stanton Otho. |
| Freed Thomas. | Smith Albert. |
| Gandee G. W. | Smith Darlington. |
| Green Minnie. | Toms Henry. |
| Grove R. V. | Thompson Harry. |
| Gorman Effie. | Vanslekle Pearl S. |
| Grimm Ada B. | Wilson James. |
| Hadock Alice. | Wisialowski Ignac. |
| Hodox Majk. | Whiting Ada (2). |
| Hart W. H. | Young Wm. |
| Haggerty Charles. | Ziegler John. |
| Keedy J. W. | |
| Keen Jeanie. | |
| King Arthur B. | |
| Labriola R. | |

Foreign.

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| Porter Wm. | Perakovic Karlo. |
| Sante Pasquale. | Marino Tito. |
| Marinelli Francesco. | Dubos Jozef. |
| | Orosz Andy. |

# BASEBALL RESULTS.

| Club | W. | L. | Pct | Club | W. | L. | Pct |
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| New York... | 16 | 6 | .727 | Boston........ | 10 | 12 | .455 |
| Chicago...... | 17 | 7 | .708 | St. Louis..... | 8 | 12 | .400 |
| Phila......... | 13 | 10 | .565 | Cincinnati... | 9 | 16 | .360 |
| Pittsburg.... | 11 | 10 | .524 | Brooklyn..... | 6 | 17 | .304 |

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| Washington | 11 | 8 | .579 | New York... | 9 | 10 | .474 |
| Detroit....... | 10 | 8 | .556 | Chicago ..... | 8 | 10 | .444 |
| Cleveland.... | 8 | 8 | .500 | Boston........ | 6 | 14 | .300 |

Wednesday—St. Louis 6, Chicago 2; Philadelphia 9, Boston 6.

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Cattle—Prime to fancy, fat, smooth steers, $5.50@5.85; green, coarse and rough, fat steers, $4@4.85; fat smooth, dry fed, light steers, $4.50@5; choice milch cows, $40@50; good, fat smooth handy butchers' bulls, $4@4.25; feeding steers, good style, weight and extra quality, $3.75@4.50; feed steers, common to good quality, $3@3.50; fair to choice stockers, $2.85@3.40.

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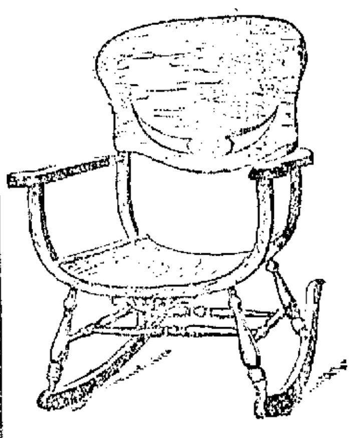

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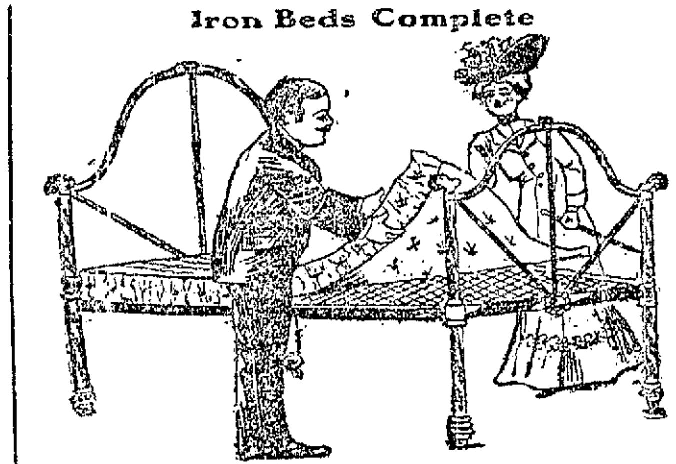

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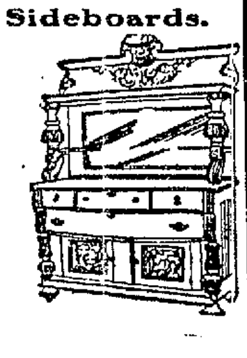

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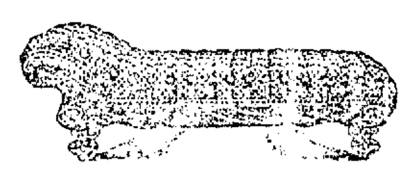

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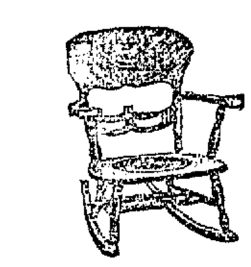

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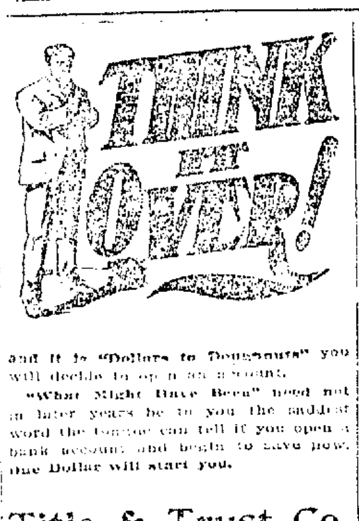


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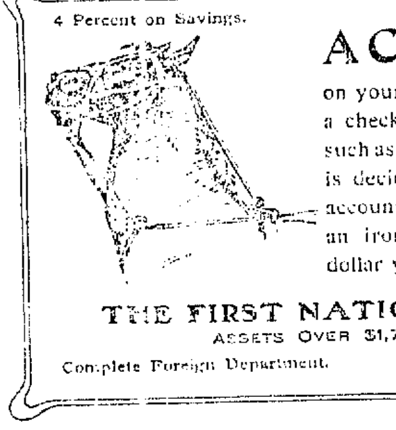

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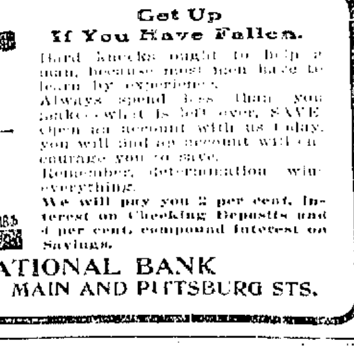

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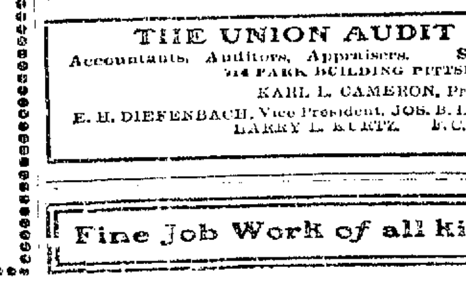

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# Beverly of Graustark

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CHAPTER XXV.

"HOLD the lantern higher, Bev"— In the fury of the fight he remembered the risk and importance of not mentioning her name and stopped short. He was fighting fast, but warily, for he realized that his present adversary was no mean one. As the swords played back and forth in fierce thrusts and parries he spoke assuringly to Beverly: "Don't be frightened! As soon as I finish with this fellow we will go on! Ah! Bravo! Well parried, my man! How the deuce could such a swordsman as you become a cutthroat of Marlanx?"

Beverly had been standing still all this time, holding the light high above her head, according to her lover's orders, for she knew now that such he was and that she loved him with all her heart. She was a weird picture standing there as she watched Baldos fighting for their lives, her beautiful face deathlike in its pallor. Not a cry escaped her lips as the sword blades swished and clashed. She could hear the deep breathing of the combatants in that tomb-like passage.

Suddenly she started and listened keenly. From behind her, back there in the darkness, hurried footsteps were unmistakably approaching. What she had heard, then, was not the scurrying of a rat. Some one was following them. A terrible anguish seized her. Louder and nearer came the heavy steps. "Oh, Baldos!" she screamed in terror. "Another is coming!"

"Have no fear, dear one!" he sang out gayly. His voice was infinitely more cheerful than he felt, for he realized only too well the desperate situation. He was penned in and forced to meet an attack from front and rear. He fell upon his assailant with redoubled fury, aiming to finish him before the newcomer could give aid.

From out of the gloom came a fiendish laugh. Instantly the dark figure of a man appeared, his face completely hidden by a broad slouch hat and the long cloak which enveloped him. A sardonic voice hissed: "Trapped at last! My lady and her lover thought to escape, did they?" The voice was unfamiliar, but the atmosphere seemed charged with Marlanx. "Kill him, Zem!" he shouted "Don't let him escape you! I will take care of the little witch, never fear!" He clutched at the girl and tried to draw her to him.

"Marlanx! By all the gods!" cried Baldos in despair. He had wounded his man several times, though not seriously. He dared not turn to Beverly's aid.

The scene was thrilling, gruesome. Within this narrow, dimly lighted underground passage, with its musty walls sweating with dampness and thick with the tangled meshes of the spider's web, a brave girl and her lover struggled and fought back to back.

To her dismay, Beverly saw the point of a sword at her throat.

"Out of the way, girl!" the man in the cloak snarled, furious at her resistance. "You die as well as your lover unless you surrender. He cannot escape me."

"And if I refuse!" cried the girl, trying desperately to gain time.

"I will drive my blade through your heart and tell the world it was the deed of your lover."

Baldos groaned His adversary, encouraged by the change in the situation, pressed him sorely.

"Don't you dare to touch me, Count Marlanx. I know you!" she hissed. "I know what you would do with me. It 's not for Graustark that you seek his life."

The sword came nearer. The words died in her throat. She grew faint. Terror paralyzed her. Suddenly her heart gave a great thump of joy. The resourcefulness of the trapped was surging to her relief. The valor of the south leaped into life. The exhilaration of conflict beat down all her fears. "Take away that sword, then, please!" she cried, her voice trembling, but not with terror now. It was exultation. "Will you promise to spare his life? Will you swear to let him go, if I"—

"No, no; never! God forbid!" implored Baldos.

"Ha, ha!" chuckled the man in the cloak. "Spare his life! Oh, yes, after my master has reveled in your charms. How do you like that, my handsome goat hunter?"

"You infernal scoundrel! I'll settle you yet!" Baldos fairly fumed with rage. Gathering himself together for a final effort, he rushed madly on his rapidly weakening antagonist.

"Baldos," she cried hopelessly and in a tone of resignation, "I must do it! It is the only way!"

The man in the cloak as well as Baldos was deceived by the girl's cry He immediately lowered his sword. The lantern dropped from Beverly's hands and clattered to the floor. At the same instant she drew from her pocket her revolver, which she had placed there before leaving the castle, and fired point blank at him. The report sounded like a thunderclap in their ears. It was followed quickly by a sharp cry and imprecation from the lips of her persecutor, who fell, striking his head with a terrible force on the stones.

Simultaneously there was a groan and the noise of a limp body slipping to the ground, and Baldos, victor at last, turned in fear and trembling to find Beverly standing unhurt staring at the black mass at her feet.

"Thank God, you are safe!" Grasping her hand he led her out of the darkness into the moonlight.

Not a word was spoken as they ran swiftly on until they reached a little clump of trees not far from one of the gates. Here Baldos gently released her hand. She was panting for breath, but he realized she must not be allowed to risk a moment's delay. She must pass the sentry at once.

"Have you the watchword?" he eagerly asked.

"Watchword?" she repeated feebly.

"Yes, the countersign for the night. It is Ganlook. Keep your face well covered with your hood. Advance boldly to the gates and give the word. There will be no trouble. The guard is used to pleasure seekers returning at all hours of night."

"Is he dead?" she asked timorously, returning to the scene of horror.

"Only wounded, I think, as are the other men, though they all deserve death."

He went with her as close to the gate as he thought safe. Taking her hand he kissed it fervently. "Goodby! It won't be for long!" and disappeared.

She stood still and lifeless, staring after him, for ages, it seemed. He was gone. Gone forever, no doubt. Her eyes grew wilder and wilder with the pity of it all. Pride fled incontinently. She longed to call him back. Then it occurred to her that he was hurrying off to that other woman. No, he said he would return. She must be brave, true to herself, whatever happened. She marched boldly up to the gate, gave the countersign and passed through, not heeding the curious glances cast upon her by the sentry, turned into the castle, up the grand staircase and fled to the princess' bedchamber.

Beverly, trembling and sobbing, threw herself in the arms of the princess. Incoherently she related all that had happened, then swooned.

After she had been restored, the promise of Yetive to protect her, whatever happened, comforted her somewhat.

"It must have been Marlanx," moaned Beverly.

"Who else could it have been?" replied the princess, who was visibly excited.

Summoning all her courage, she went on: "First, we must find out if he is badly hurt. We'll trust to luck. Cheer up!" She touched a bell. There came a knock at the door. A guard was told to enter. "Ellos," she exclaimed, "did you hear a shot fired a short time ago?"

"I thought I did, your highness, but was not sure."

"Baldos, the guard, was escaping by the secret passage," continued the princess, a wonderful inspiration coming to her rescue. "He passed through the chapel. Miss Calhoun was there. Alone and single handed she tried to prevent him. It was her duty. He refused to obey her command to stop, and she followed him into the tunnel and fired at him. I'm afraid you are too late to capture him, but you may- oh, Beverly, how plucky you were to follow him! Go quickly, Ellos! Search the tunnel and report at once." As the guard saluted with wonder, admiration and unbelief he saw the two conspirators locked in each other's arms.

Presently he returned and reported that the guards could find no trace of any one in the tunnel, but that they found blood on the floor near the exit and that the door was wide open.

The two girls looked at each other in amazement. They were dumfounded, but a great relief was glowing in their eyes.

"Ellos," inquired the princess, considerably less agitated, "does any one else know of this?"

"No, your highness; there was no one on guard but Max, Baldos and myself."

"Well, for the present no one else must know of his flight. Do you understand? Not a word to any one. I myself will explain when the proper time comes. You and Max have been very careless, but I suppose you should not be punished. He has tricked us all. Send Max to me at once."

"Yes, your highness," said Ellos, and he went away with his head swimming. Max, the other guard received like orders, and then the two young women sank limply upon a divan.

"Oh, how clever you are, Yetive," came from the American girl. "But what next?"

"We may expect to hear something disagreeable from Count Marlanx, my dear," murmured the perplexed but confident princess "but I think we have the game in our own hands, as you would say in America."

CHAPTER XXVI.

"AUNT FANNY, what is that white thing sticking under the window?" demanded Beverly late the next morning. She was sitting with her face to the windows while the old negress dressed her hair.

"Looks lak a love letteh, Miss Bevuly," was the answer as Aunt Fanny gingerly placed an envelope in her mistress' hand. Beverly looked at it in amazement It was unmistakably a letter, addressed to her, which had been left at her window some time in the night. Her heart gave a thump, and she went red with anticipated pleasure. With eager fingers she tore open the envelope. The first glance at the contents brought disappointment to her face. The missive was from Count Marlanx, but it was a relief to find that he was very much alive and kicking. As she read on there came a look of perplexity which was succeeded by burning indignation. The man in the cloak was preparing to strike.

Your secret is mine. I know all that happened in the chapel and underground passage. You have betrayed Graustark in aiding this man to escape. The plot was cleverly executed, but you counted without the jealous eye of love. You can save yourself and your honor and perhaps your princess, but the conditions are mine. This time there can be no trifling. I want you to treat me fairly. God help you if you refuse. Give me the answer I want, and your secret is safe. I will shield you with my life. At 11 o'clock I shall come to see you. I have in my possession a document that will influence you. You will do well to keep a close mouth until you have seen this paper.

This alarming note was all that was needed to restore fire to the lagging blood of the American girl. Its effect was decidedly contrary to that which Marlanx must have anticipated In stead of collapsing, Beverly sprang to her feet with energy and life in every fiber. Her eyes were flashing brightly, her body quivering with the sensations of battle.

"That awful old wretch" she cried, to Aunt Fanny's amazement. "He is the meanest human being in all the world. But he's making the mistake of his life, isn't he, Aunt Fanny? Oh, of course you don't know what it is, so never mind. We've got a surprise for him. I'll see him at 11 o'clock, and then"— She smiled quite benignly at the thought of what she was going to say to him. Beverly felt very secure in the shadow of the princess.

A clatter of horses' hoofs on the parade ground drew her to the balcony. What she saw brought joy to her heart. Lorry and Anguish, muddy and disheveled, were dismounting before the castle.

"Ah, this is joy! Now there are three good Americans here. I'm not afraid," she said bravely. Aunt Fanny nodded her head in approval, although she did not know what it was all about. Curiosity more than alarm made Beverly eager to see the document which old Marlanx held in reserve for her. She determined to meet him at 11.

A message from the princess announced the unexpected return of the two Americans. She said they were (to use Harry Anguish's own expression) "beastly near starvation" and clamored for substantial breakfasts. Beverly was urged to join them and to hear the latest news from the frontier.

Lorry and Anguish were full of the excitement on which they had lived for many hours. They had found evidence of raids by the Dawsbergen scouts and had even caught sight of a small band of fleeing horsemen. Lorry reluctantly admitted that Gabriel's army seemed loyal to him and that there was small hope of a conflict being averted, as he had surmised, through the defection of the people. He was surprised, but not dismayed, when Yetive told him certain portions of the story in regard to Marlanx and, by no means averse to seeing the old man relegated to the background, heartily indorsed the step taken by his wife. He was fair enough, however, to promise the general a chance to speak in his own defense if he so desired. He had this in view when he requested Marlanx to come to the castle at 11 o'clock for consultation.

"Gabriel is devoting most of his energy now to hunting the poor Dantan into his grave," said Anguish. "I believe he'd rather kill his half brother than conquer Graustark. Why, the inhuman monster has set himself to the task of obliterating everything that reminds him of Dantan. We learned from spies down there that he issued an order for the death of Dantan's sister, a pretty young thing named Candace, because he believed she was secretly aiding her fugitive brother. She escaped from the palace in Serros a week ago, and no one knows what has become of her. There's a report that she was actually killed and that the story of her flight is a mere blind on the part of Gabriel."

"He would do anything!" cried Yetive. "Poor child! They say she is like her English mother and is charming."

"That would set Gabriel against her, I fancy," went on Anguish. "And, by the way, Miss Calhoun, we heard something definite about your friend, Prince Dantan. It is pretty well settled that he isn't Baldos of the guard. Dantan was seen two days ago by Captain Dangloss' men. He was in the Dawsbergen pass, and they talked with him and his men. There was no mistake this time. The poor, half starved chap confessed to being the prince and begged for food for himself and his followers."

"I tried to find him and, failing in that, left word in the pass that if he would but cast his lot with us in this trouble we soon would restore him to his throne," said Lorry "He may accept, and we shall have him turning up here some day hungry for revenge. And now, my dear Beverly, how are you progressing with the excellent Baldos, of whom we cannot make a prince, no matter how hard we try?"

Beverly and the princess exchanged glances in which consternation was difficult to conceal. It was clear to Beverly that Yetive had not told her husband of the escape.

"I don't know anything about Baldos," she answered steadily. "Last night some one shot at him in the park."

"The deuce you say!"

"In order to protect him until you returned, Gren, I had him transferred to guard duty inside the castle," explained the princess. "It really seemed necessary General Marlanx expects to present formal charges against him this morning, so I suppose we shall have to put him in irons for a little while It seems too bad, doesn't it, Gren?"

"Yes. He's as straight as a string, I'll swear," said Lorry emphatically.

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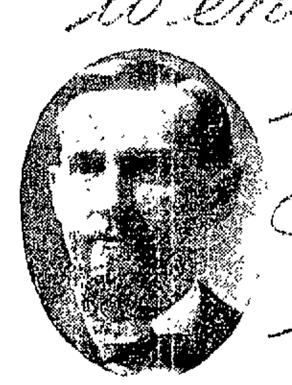

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Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

Confluence, May 9.—Deputy Sheriff Schrock of Somerset stopped off between trains Wednesday.

Jasper Augustine of Uniontown was seen on our streets today.

William Conway of Uniontown passed through our town on his way to Markleysburg and will remain in that vicinity about ten days.

C. W. Fike of Markleysburg passed through Confluence today on his way home from Uniontown, where he had been looking after some business transactions.

Miss Carrie Ault of Markleysburg was a Confluence visitor today.

Mrs. W. A. Sellers and Master Lorenzo were in Confluence today doing some shopping and getting their mail.

John R. Burnworth, the patent fence builder of Henry Clay township, has just finished up a big job for V. M. Black.

Cyrus Show of Ohiopyle, who was at his father's home last night, who is very ill, passed through Confluence today on his way home He reports his father, Tissue Show, no better.

Master Roy Lincoln left on the C & O. branch today to join his father, the lumber dealer, L. S Lincoln, near Friendsville today and will remain with him all summer.

J. C. Lowery, who has the contract to repair the Klondike road in Addison township, had eleven men working today.

At this writing the hills are white with a coat of snow. Something unusual to be seen here on the 9th of May.

J. S. Silbaugh of Draketown was a caller in town today.

John Hyatt the coal hauler from Draketown, was in town today with a load of coal.

M. L. Fish, the saw mill man of Bidwell, was in Confluence today

Fred Yeasley is having a fine paling fence erected in front of his garden.

Winter is not over at Confluence from the way it snowed here today.

Clouse Brothers finished up the brick walk in front of the new M. E Church today.

The Street Commissioner was ordered, by the Street Committee, to open up a 25-foot street today. Uncle Jake Sterner was not slow going about it.

Read The Daily Courier.

Boardy Furney of Henry Clay township, one of the most up-to-date farmers, was a caller in town today.

John Tressle, formerly clerk in the Schmitz Racket store in Connellsville, is trying farming this summer with his father-in-law, L. M. Lineberger, of Charleston.

Henry Osler of Moccasin was a visitor in town today.

For the latest news of the day get an evening Courier. It is two hours earlier than any Pittsburg paper. They go to press at 12 o'clock and The Courier at 2 P. M. The Courier can be bought in Confluence at B. M Mitchell's meat market on Main street, one cent a copy, or 25 cents per month at your home every evening, to be read at the supper table. S. P. Spitsnagle, agent.

### Neighborhood News.

Washington county farmers are going into the potato raising business on a large scale.

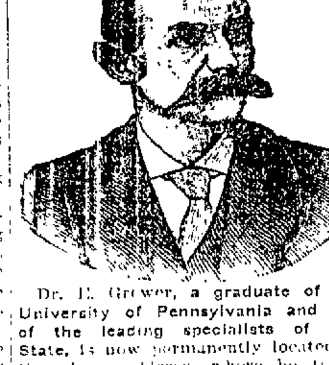
Considerable excitement has been stirred up in Greensburg and vicinity over the fact that quite a lot of counterfeit money was shoved there Saturday afternoon and evening.


## Have You a Dear Friend

Who is affected with Rheumatism? If so tell them that by reason of the cures wrought in the community of Warren, Pa., by Crocker's Rheumatic Cure, a number of business men have associated themselves together to manufacture and extend the sale of the medicine, it's taken internally in small doses and the per cent of permanent cures is above the average. For sale at A. A. Clarke's Connellsville, and W. A. Beighley's New Haven, at 50c per bottle.

## DR. GREWER

Medical and Surgical Institute, A. C. Hagan Block, No. 28 East Main Street, Uniontown Pa.



Dr. E. Grewer, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and one of the leading specialists of this State, is now permanently located at the above address, where he treats all chronic diseases of Men, Women and Children.

He makes a specialty of all forms of Nervous Diseases, Blood Poison, Secret Diseases, Epileptic Fits, Convulsions, Hysteria, St. Vitus Dance, Wakefulness. Cured under guarantee.

Lost Manhood Restored. Weakness of Young Men Cured, and All Private Diseases.

Varicocele, Hydrocele and Rupture promptly cured without pain and no detention from business.

He cures the worst cases of Nervous Prostration, Rheumatism, Scrofula, Old Sores, Blood Poison, and all diseases of the Skin, Ear, Nose, Throat, Heart, Lungs, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder.

Itching Piles, Fistula, Stricture, Tumors, Cancers and Goiters cured without cutting.

Special attention paid to the treatment of Nasal Catarrh.

He Will Forfeit the Sum of $5,000 for Any Cases of FITS or EPILEPTIC CONVULSIONS That He Cannot Cure.

Consultation in English and German and strictly confidential. Write if you cannot call.

Office hours From 9 A. M. to 8:30 P. M. On Sundays, from 9 to 12 only.

## DANGER IN DELAY.

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for Connellsville People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Connellsville.

John B. Skinner of Connellsville, Pa., dealer in stoves and ranges, at 115 West Apple street, says: "In the summer of 1897 I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills and the results made me appreciate that remedy very highly. I take pleasure in again endorsing Doan's Kidney Pills and can heartily recommend them to sufferers from backache or any trouble due to inactive or irritated kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Company, Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no others. 11

## LADIES

DR. LaFRANCO'S COMPOUND.

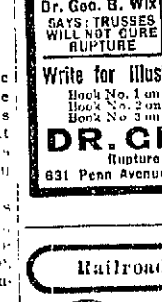
Safe, speedy regulator; 25 cents. Druggists or mail. Booklet free. DR. LaFRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.


Read The Daily Courier.


My reputation and immense practice have been made by genuine and permanent cures of

## RUPTURE And RECTAL DISEASES

When I first announced years ago that I was prepared to cure Rupture, Piles, Fistula, etc., without the use of the knife, without danger and without detention from work many people were skeptical. But experience has proven that truth is mighty and will prevail. The first patient I cured sent another, the next another, and all talked with gratitude of what I had done for them, so that today I have the largest practice in the country treating Rupture and Rectal diseases exclusively. If you will put aside prejudice and skepticism and ignore what others say long enough to investigate my work, it will mean a brighter, healthier and sounder life in future. If you are a sufferer call on me or send for my free illustrated book explaining thoroughly my system of treatment.



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Varicocele and Hydrocele (False Rupture) (Water Rupture) Cure Guaranteed in 10 to 30 Days

REMEMBER— No truss or "Home Treatment" will cure Rupture. You must be treated by a physician who is a specialist on Rupture to get a cure. I have cured thousands of persons of Rupture. I can do the same for you.

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I treat and cure the worst cases of Piles and Fistula. I use no knife or other painful instruments. I positively guarantee a perfect cure.

CALL OR WRITE FOR PARTICULARS

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DR. GEO. B. WIX

Rupture and Rectal Specialist, 631 Penn Avenue, Werner Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.

Consultation Free. Charges Reasonable. Arrangements can be made for credit. Office Hours, 9 to 4.30, 6 to 8.30. Sundays 1 to 4.

Interview or write these cured patients:

John D. Carr, Uniontown, Pa. (Rupture)

W. J. Dixson, Uniontown, Pa. (Fistula)


## Railroad Time Tables.

### BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Schedule Effective Nov. 19, 1905.

For CHICAGO.—1.20 and 6.05 P. M. daily.

For CINCINNATI, ST. LOUIS and LOUISVILLE VIA PITTSBURG.—5.15 A. M. and 6.05 P. M. daily.

For PITTSBURG—Week days, 5.15, 7.25, 7.55, 10.35 A. M.; 1.20, 2.32, 6.05, 7.00 P. M.; Sundays, 5.15, 7.25, 7.55 A. M. and 1.20, 6.05 and 7.00 P. M.

For WASHINGTON, PA., and WHEELING.—Week days, 5.15, 10.35 A. M.; 1.20 and 6.05 P. M. Sundays, 5.15 A. M.; 1.20 and 6.05 P. M.

For MT. PLEASANT.—Week days, 7.05 P. M.

For UNIONTOWN.—Week days, 7.55, 9.50 A. M.; 4.35 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 9.50 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

For MORGANTOWN and FAIRMONT.—Week days 9.50 A. M.; 4.35 and 6.50 P. M. Sundays, 9.50 A. M. and 6.50 P. M.

For BUFFALO, N. Y., and CLEVELAND, O.—5.15, 7.25, 7.55, 10.35 A. M.; 1.20, 2.32, 6.05 and 7.00 P. M.

For WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BOSTON and all points in the East.—Express, daily, 9.47 A. M.; 3.05, 8.05 and 11.16 P. M.

For CONFLUENCE and KENDALL.—9.00 A. M., 3.05 and 3.10 P. M., daily, for Confluence; week days only for Kendall.

For JOHNSTOWN and points on the S. & C. Branch.—Week days, 9.00, 9.47 A. M.; 3.05 and 3.10 P. M. Sundays, 3.05 P. M.

For BERLIN.—Week days, 9.00 A. M. and 3.05 and 3.10 P. M.

For CUMBERLAND.—Daily Express trains, 9.47 A. M.; 7.07, 8.05 and 11.15 P. M. Daily Accommodation trains, 9.00 A. M., 3.05 and 3.10 P. M.

For SHENANDOAH JUNCTION and points on the N. & W. R. R.—9.47 A. M.; 3.05 and 11.15 P. M., daily

For HARPERS FERRY and VALLEY DIVISION points.—9.47 A. M.; 3.05 and 11.15 P. M. Week days only

Tickets, Pullman reservations and information concerning time of trains and connections, call at the Baltimore & Ohio depot, Connellsville, Pa., Tri-State Phone 280

H. L. DOUGLASS, Ticket Agent.
C. W. ALLEN, Trav. Pass. Agt.

### PITTSBURG & LAKE ERIE R. R.

(P. McK. & Y. Division.)

Leave Pittsburg, McKeesport & Youghiogheny [illegible] Short Line

Central Standard Time, in effect Sunday, April 29, [illegible]

Trains leave New Haven depot for West Newton, McKeesport and Pittsburg daily at 5.30 A. M. and [illegible] P. M.

For Dickerson Run, Dunbar 5.30 A. M., [illegible] daily 5.30 A. M. and [illegible]

Parlor and sleeping cars between Pittsburg, Buffalo, Chicago, Boston and Jamestown

### PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect February 18, 1906.

Trains leave Connellsville for Dunbar, New Haven, Redstone Junction and Uniontown, 8.11, 10.41 A. M.; 2.47, 7.12 P. M. week days. Sundays 10.16 A. M.; 7.01 P. M.

For Fairchance and intermediate stations, 10.41 A. M.; 7.12 P. M., week days. Sundays 10.16 A. M.

For Scottdale, Greensburg, Pittsburg and principal intermediate stations, 7.35, 9.50 A. M.; 3.00, 5.21 P. M., week days. Sundays 7.44 A. M., 5.12 P. M.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Pass. Traffic Mgr.
GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

### WASHINGTON RUN RAILROAD.

Trains leave Layton daily for Star Junction at 6.26 A. M. and 6.50 and 7.20 P. M.

Trains leave Star Junction for Layton daily at 7.45 A. M. and 5.20 and 6.55 P. M.

All trains make connection with Baltimore & Ohio at Layton.

J. S. NEWMYER, Gen. Mgr.

### WEST PENN RAILWAYS COMPANY.

January 1, 1906.

Leave Connellsville for New Haven, Dunbar, M. Braddock, Lemont and Uniontown at 5.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes thereafter till 1.00 P. M. At 11.00 P. M. car waits for Uniontown passengers from B. & O. train No. 10 till 11.20 P. M.

For New Haven, Leisenring, Vanderbilt and Dickerson Run at 5.20** A. M. and every 40 minutes thereafter till 10.00 P. M. Last car 11.01 P. M.

For Moyer, Pennsville, Everson and Scottdale, connecting for Mt. Pleasant at 5.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes thereafter till 11.00 P. M.

For Alverton, Tarr, Ruffsdale, Hunker and Greensburg at 5.30 A. M. and hourly till 9.30 P. M. For Alverton only 10.30 P. M.

For South Connellsville, 5.20* A. M. and every 30 minutes thereafter till 11.50 A. M. and every 15 minutes thereafter till 8.35 P. M., every 30 minutes thereafter till 11.50 P. M.

**40 minutes later on Sunday, A. M.

*One hour later on Sunday A. M.

The time given on this schedule is the time cars are expected to arrive and depart, but their arrival and departure or connections are not guaranteed. Schedule subject to change without notice.

J. W. BROWN, Supt. Transportation.
W. S. KUHN, General Manager.


WEAR HORNER'S CLOTHING

When You Begin to Use The COURIER WANT ADS You Begin to Travel the Road That Leads to Success. One Cent a Word.

## News From Nearby Towns.

### DUNBAR.

**Events of the Day in the Busy Furnace Town**

Dunbar, May 10—It has been stated, according to reliable information that the Street Railway company will have a waiting room for the accommodation of their patrons at this place. Arrangements have been under way for the securing of one of the rooms in the Burhans new business block. It is understood that an ice cream parlor and confectionery store will be operated in the room of the room, the management of which will look after the keeping of the waiting room in proper condition. A waiting room has been the crying demand of the people here ever since the road has been in operation. The railway company have in selecting the location mentioned above secured the best to be had in town. The street is not only wide giving ample room but it will insure a slower rate of speed past the Central Drug store which is a very narrow point and very dangerous. The West Penn company can take no action that will be of a greater interest to the citizens of Dunbar from whom they draw a vast amount of patronage than the establishing of a waiting room.

Robert Dunseith and [illegible] of Pittsburg were among the business callers in town yesterday.

Miss Debra [illegible] was a caller in Connellsville yesterday afternoon.

A force of men working under the direction of the Street Commissioner were engaged yesterday in removing the old scales. The place where they stood is being filled up. The move is a good one as the scales were useless, having been allowed to go to rack. Their removal not only removes an eyesore but a great danger as well.

James Barrett has moved from the Shepler house on Railroad street into one of the flats in the Burhans building.

Stark Dean is improving his property on Speers Hill by having it repainted.

Charles Connell has accepted a position as warehouseman at the P. R. R. depot taking the place made vacant by the resignation of George Patterson.

Mrs. Rosa Macona and Neal Tatane were recently united in marriage by Squire D. K. Cameron.

William Carroll is moving here from Leesport Pa. Mr. Carroll is employed by the Warren Fluid Company.

The Music Lovers Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Williams Tuesday evening. A large number of the members were present. The first part of the evening was taken up in a business session during which time there was a general discussion of the holding of an open air meeting. A committee on arrangements was appointed by the President as follows: Messrs. Rutsech, Goldsmith and Miss Victoria Balsley. After the business was transacted a musical program was carried out, a special feature of which was the playing of Lu Kephart. A musical game was given in which the participants were amused by the guessing of picture characters to represent famous composers. Mrs. Samuel Goldsmith carried off the prize in the contest. A dainty luncheon was served in the dining room. All expressed themselves as having a very pleasant time.

The Dunbar Cornet Band went to Mt. Braddock last evening and gave an open air concert as an advertisement for the [illegible] which they will produce here on May 15 and 16.

Squire D. K. Cameron [illegible] in business for several weeks is now experiencing a rush in trials. A number of cases were disposed of with others yet on the list. The one in which Harry Scott was the defendant in two cases is surrounded by the following circumstances. On October 18 1905 information was made against him by Mike McGlvein charging him with absconding from a board bill with intent to defraud. At the same time his wife Nellie Scott made information charging him with non-support. At the time he eluded the officers and remained away until May when he was arrested. He was held under a bail amounting to $40 on the two charges. His failure to furnish bail resulted in his being sent to jail. Mrs. Cameron of Mt. Braddock was also arraigned Tuesday before Justice Cameron charged with assault. Owing to a lack of evidence she was discharged upon payment of costs. Another suit heard was that brought by Mrs. Rose Falentino to recover from P. [illegible] McGonnasey which she alleged had been loaned to him and which he refused to return. In this case the Squire reserved his decision until the coming Saturday.

Following is the list of unclaimed letters advertised at the postoffice: Miss Anna Sims, W. A. Henry, Mrs. Aimie Wolf, R. H. Brown, G. Miller, Thomas Mineral, Mrs. Richard Sanders, Mrs. S. P. Young, John Haines and Radcliffe [illegible].

### BACK TO THE MINES

**Men in Anthracite Regions Return to Their Work Today**

Shamokin, May 10—[illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] following [illegible] suspension [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] security of miners.

**One Cent a Word.**

That is all it will cost you to advertise in our want column. Try it.

### SMITHFIELD.

**Chatty Letter from the Metropolis of Georges Township**

Smithfield, May 10—Another big frost last night and a snow squall this morning puts a chilly aspect on the face of Nature. The weatherwise say it will warm up now that the two fogs in February have had their corresponding number of frosts in May.

I. G. Burchinal manager of the Acme Publishing Company of Morgantown W. Va. was transacting business here Tuesday.

Lew W. Stryver of East End Pittsburg is transacting business for the Indiana State Insurance Company in this community.

William Hoover from our R. F. D. No. 9 in Nicholson township was in the borough yesterday on legal business.

I. C. High and H. O'Neil the two Justices of the borough have taken out their new commissions which expire the first Monday of May 1911. Their old commissions expired last Monday the 7th.

B. I. Black [illegible] went to Pittsburg yesterday on a business mission.

A. F. Smith was transacting business at the county seat yesterday.

W. R. Abraham is down from Jumonville Soldiers Orphans School visiting his mother here.

Mrs. S. A. Brownfield of Springhill township was in the borough yesterday transacting some matters of business.

John Northam of New York City is at the home of his sister Mrs. James R. Vance who is very poorly with stomach trouble.

### MRS ELIZABETH STRAWN

**Died Wednesday at Her Home on West Fairview Avenue**

Mrs. Elizabeth Strawn relict of the late Jeremiah Strawn died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of her daughter Mrs. R. Bruce M. Durr, No. 140 West Fairview avenue. Deceased was born on a farm in Allegheny county, now Garrett county, Maryland, near Pleasant Grove Bottom July 19 1828 and was married to Jeremiah Strawn July 18 1847. Her husband died about seven years ago at Addison. She was the daughter of Robert and Elizabeth French of Garrett county. Mr. Deceased made her home with her son Frank Strawn at [illegible] postoffice near Addison up until recent weeks ago when [illegible] and was compelled to go to the hospital at Somerset. She has been suffering with an attack of grip throughout the winter which later developed into dropsy and caused her death.

She had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Petersburg since she was 7 years old. Deceased is survived by the following children: [illegible] Strawn of Connellsville, Alfred Strawn, Dakota, Wm. A. Strawn, Helena, Montana, Jacob N. Strawn, Livingstone, Montana, [illegible] [illegible] of West Virginia and Mrs. Sarah Haynes, Confluence. The funeral will take place Saturday [illegible]. Interment will be made in Hill Grove.

### IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

**Church and Other Events in Town Afternoon Card Party**

Charmingly appointed was an afternoon card party given Wednesday by Miss Ann White at her home on West Peach street. The hours were from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. Pink and white was the prevailing color scheme used in forming the pretty and artistic decorations. The parlor was and dogwood blossoms, lilies and carnations, white apple blossoms, bleeding hearts and dogwood blossoms formed the decorations in the library and the dining room. The games played were 500 and bridge whist. Eleven tables of cards were brought into play during the afternoon. At the close of the games the pretty prizes were awarded to Mrs. Reginald Palmer of Dunbar and Miss Helen Armstrong. At [illegible] o'clock a prettily appointed luncheon was served. The out of town guests were Mrs. Reginald Palmer, Dunbar; Mrs. [illegible] Singer, Greensburg; Mrs. Anne Kennedy, Miss Adele [illegible], Miss Katherine Sturgeon, Mrs. [illegible] Sturgeon, Mrs. [illegible] Lynch and Mrs. P. [illegible] [illegible] Uniontown and Miss H. [illegible] [illegible] Mt. Pleasant.

### MANTELL IN OTHELLO

**At the Colonial Theatre This Evening Promised Good House**

This evening's play at the Colonial Theatre will be the last attraction of its class at the Colonial this season. Robert Mantell in Othello is the bill Manager R. W. Singer has provided for his patrons. The theatregoers of Connellsville and the Yough region need no word of commendation for Mr. Mantell. He has been here before on several occasions and he is always sure of a hearty welcome upon his return. This year Mr. Mantell is supported by a company of unusual strength. He has never appeared here in Othello and theatregoers look forward to a treat this evening and in their expectation they will not be disappointed.

Manager Singer has arranged special [illegible] on the West Penn railways direct [illegible] the theatre door. The [illegible] will transfer [illegible] Main street [illegible] out of town.

**Chief's Condition Serious**

Uniontown, May 10—Chief of Police Shafter [illegible] seriously ill at his home and it is feared that he will not live through the day. His sickness is due to a general breakdown.

### MT. PLEASANT.

**Personal Chat of the Old West moreland Town**

Mt. Pleasant, May 10—The Mt. Pleasant High school and Connellsville High School put up an exhibition of base ball here yesterday when Mt. P. H. S. won by a score of 11 to 0. [illegible] in the [illegible] innings [illegible] Stillwagon [illegible] the [illegible] score by innings.

[illegible]

At a recent [illegible] the United Brethren Church [illegible] Board of Trustees [illegible] for the [illegible] new church [illegible].

[illegible]

### BRIDGEPORT

**Newsy Gleanings From the Little Westmoreland Town**

Bridgeport, May 10—[illegible]

[illegible] Gilmore [illegible]

Miss Eve Sp[illegible] [illegible] Mt. Pleasant [illegible] visit [illegible].

# NEW COLONIAL THEATRE

## Thursday, MAY 10th

WM A. BRADY, Announces

## Mr. ROBERT MANTELL

In a Spectacular Revival of Shakespeare's Noble Tragedy,

## OTHELLO
## The Moor of Venice.

Mr. Mantell's [illegible] [illegible] triumph [illegible]

**SEATS NOW READY.**

Prices, $1.50, $1.00, 75 and 50c

Special Car Service Direct [illegible] Theatre

# NEW COLONIAL THEATRE

## Friday, May 11th

**B. C. WHITNEY**

—Presents—

## THE SHOW GIRL

—With—

## HILDA THOMAS

—AND—

## 50 More Fun Makers 50

30 Song hits of Whistling kind

**The Big Beauty Show**

Price 50c, 75 and $1.

Seats now ready

# A 2 Days' Sale of Embroidered Costumes

**Friday and Saturday, May 11 and 12, we Will Sell Our Semi-ready Embroidered Gowns at $5.75**

"All done but finishing." This sentence is especially relevant to these gowns, and "finishing" is an easy matter, fit the band, sew up the back seam and the shirt is done, then the fitting of the waist and you have a gown far superior to any you could obtain at three times the price if you were to have it made locally. These Robes are made of

Fine quality lawn exquisite embroidered in either English Eyelet or Blind Embroidery. There is [illegible] yds. of plain material and 2½ yds. Embroidery (matching skirt) to complete waist. These Robes are worth $8.00, but will be on sale Friday and Saturday at $5.75 in six different designs.

Semi-ready Gowns are growing daily in public favor, as they possess all the art of the expert makers, while they are fitted perfectly to the figure by local dressmaker, thus combining the highest type of embroidery with the perfection of fit that a made to measure costume possess.

WRIGHT METZLER COMPANY

## The Reign of the White Oxford.

[illegible]

**Where Our's Are Different**

[illegible]

Children's White Oxford — [illegible]

Women's White Oxford — [illegible]

Ooze Leather Oxford — [illegible]

## —Embroideries—

**Two Days' at 3 Cents**

This sale deals entirely with 1906 embroideries made to retail at 6c and 7c. Three and four ins. in width heavily covered and in the newest designs.

If we had not imported our embroideries we would have to ask 10c a yard for the same thing we offer Friday and Saturday at 3c. This statement seems sensational, but you have but to come and examine these designs to verify it in every respect. We rather underestimate its worth than exaggerate it.

Insertions or edgings worked on material of surprising worth. It is particularly adapted to the trimming of muslin undergarments and children's dresses.

**On Sale in the Main Isle.**

## Wash Ties for Summer Wear

[illegible] collection [illegible] is complete as to color selection and correctness as to their make up. No where can [illegible] a wash tie be more appropriated and appropriate than right here in the Coke Region. No where can different tastes be more readily satisfied than here for this collection comprises every kind of wash tie of [illegible] design at

**25c.**

## Three Muslin Underwear Bargains.

These [illegible] taken from our regular stock but were bought at a very special price. We advertise them in a two days sale, they may not last one day. [illegible] skirts, sixty five gowns and one hundred and twenty five corset covers. An embroidery house made them up to clean up odds and ends of embroidery, so the [illegible] good bargain.

**SKIRTS**—[illegible] would sell at $1.[illegible] will be sold during the next two days, six inch embroidery flounce, heading of six tucks at $1.00

**GOWNS**—[illegible] collar, [illegible] formed of [illegible] fine tucks embroidery cuff worth $1.[illegible]

**CORSET COVERS**—Handsome [illegible] 50c [illegible]

## An unusualy excellent collection of Cut Glass and Silverware

**CUT GLASS**

[illegible]

The glitter and sparkle of Cut Glass combined with the dull glow of Silver [illegible] to our Basement store. Never in the past have we presented to our public an array such as splendid assortment in these wares as at present. It is fitting that on display of these wares [illegible] the best just now for the month of June [illegible] beautiful and useful adornments [illegible] home. Many a bride will be made happy as the recipient of one of these—[illegible] the saving our Basement makes possible.

Our Cut Glass and China is sold on the same basis of profit that rules every other article of merchandise in the store. That explains our immense business in this line.

**SILVERWARE**

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| [illegible] Spoons set | $1.50 |
| [illegible] Spoons each | $1.50 |
| [illegible] Ladles each | $1.50 |
| Soup Ladles each | $[illegible].00 |
| Knives and Forks set | $4.[illegible] |
| Bouillon Spoon set | $[illegible].00 |
| Sugar Tongs | 95c |
| Sugar Shell and Butter Knife set | $1.50 |
| Baby Spoon | $5.00 |
| Orange Spoons set | $2.00 |
| [illegible] | 30c |
| [illegible] Spoons set | $1.65 |

## Wright-Metzler Co.

# LOOK IT OVER.

We name a few of our special prices selected, because PRICE and Quality attracts buyers to our store

**The Best of Everything at our Fresh Meat Counter.**

## FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

[illegible]

[illegible] Good Solid Tomatoes per Can 10
[illegible] Cans 25
[illegible] Corn 25
[illegible] Beans 25

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